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LODGES.

Bellefonte Masonic Lodge, No 268, A. Y. M, meets on Tuesday evening of or before the Full Moon.

Constans Commandery, No. 33, K. T, meets second Friday of each month.

I. O. O. F.—Centre Lodge, No 153, meets every Thursday evening at their Hall, Bush's Arcade.

Fortha conferring of Degrees the 1st Saturday evening of each month.

For Degree of Rebecca, second Saturday of every month.

I. O. G. T.—This Lodge meets every Monday evening.

Bellefonte Church Directory.

Presbyterian church, Spring St., services at at 11 a. m., and 7½ p. m.; No pastor at present. This congregation are now erecting a new church, in consequence of which the regular religious services will be held in the Court House until further notice.

Methodist Episcopal Church, High St., services 10½ a. m., and 7½ p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday night. Rev. Jas. Mullen, pastor.

St. John's Episcopal Church, High St., services at 10½ a. m., and 7½ p. m. Rev. Byron McGrann, pastor.

Lutheran Church, Linn St., services 10½ a. m., and 7½ p. m. Rev. J. A. Hackenberger, pastor.

Reformed Church, Linn St., no pastor at present

Catholic Church, Bishop St.; services 10½ a. m., and 3 p. m. Rev. T. McGovern, pastor.

United Brethren Church, High Street, west side of creek; services.——

African M. E. Church, west side of creek; services at 11 a. m., and 7½ p. m. Rev. Isaac Pinnell, pastor.

BAKERIES.

NEW BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY.

BUSH'S ARCADE, HIGH STREET,
BELLEFONTE, PENN'A.

Z. T. GUDYKUNST.

Having purchased from Adam Herkheimer, his first class Bakery and Confectionery, and having added largely to his stock, is now prepared to furnish the public with good fresh BREAD, PIES, CAKES, CONFECTIONS, and everything in his line, at all times. In connection with the above, is

A FIRST-CLASS ICE CREAM SALOON

for Ladies and Gentlemen, which will be open during the summer. Pic-nics, private parties, &c., can be supplied with all kinds of Confections, Ice Cream, Cakes and Fruits on very short notice.

my19'69-1y. Z. T. GUDYKUNST.

NEW BAKERY.

The undersigned respectfully invites the attention of the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, to his

NEW BAKERY,

on Bishop Street, as the only place where the best quality of

BREAD, CAKES,
PIES, CONFECTIONERIES,
MINCE MEAT of our own

Manufacture.

The best and neatest Ice Cream accommodations in the town. A room neatly furnished and carpeted, on first floor, for Ladies and gentlemen, and a room on second floor for private parties—ladies and gentlemen. He prides himself on the superior quality and flavor of his Ice Cream, and most cordially invites his friends and the public generally, to call and realize the truth of the assertion, that McDowell makes the best Ice Cream in town.

ja13'69.1y. S. J. McDOWELL, Ag't.

BAKERY & CONFECTIONERY.

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.

The undersigned would hereby respectfully inform the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, that he is prepared to furnish at all times

FRESH BREAD, CAKES OF all KINDS,

PIES, &c., &c.,

CANDIES, SPICES, NUTS, FRUITS,

and anything and everything belonging to his business. He has recently completed a large and commodious addition to his building, and has furnished it in a style surpassing anything of the kind in the town, where ladies and gentlemen can, during the summer month, be accommodated with the very

BEST OF ICE CREAM.

Having had years of experience in the business, he flatters himself that he can guarantee satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.

aug4'69 1y. J. H. SANDS.

HOTELS.

CUMMINGS HOUSE,

Bishop street, Bellefonte, Pa.

Convenient and suitable for Boarders and the Traveling Public.

Fare, reasonable, and on time. Especial attention paid to the wants of guests.

W. J. HOSTERMAN.

sept. 15, '69-tf. *Proprietor*

CONRAD HOUSE.

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.
(Opposite the Brockerhoff House.)

A HOTEL ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN,

Licensed by the Court of Centre County.

FIRST CLASS BAR, RESTAURANT, ROOMS AND STABLING.

AN EXCELLENT BILLIARD ROOM, with 3 tables, new and in perfect condition.

Give the Conrad House a trial.

H. H. KLINE,
jy21'69 1y. *Proprietor.*

OUR HOUSE.

The undersigned adopts this method of informing his friends and the public generally that he continues to keep the Hotel on the corner of Allegheny and Bishop Sts., known by the cognomen of

"*OUR HOUSE.*"

The Proprietor has spared no pains in furnishing the house with new furniture. The beds and bedding are the very best; the rooms commodious and well ventilated. The accommodations, boarding, &c., are equal to any of the high priced Hotels. Only 25 cents for meals. Thankful for past favors, he solicits their continuance, and promises satisfaction to all.

mar17'69-1y. WM. BROWN, *Prop'r.*

NATIONAL HOTEL.

MILLHEIM, CENTRE COUNTY, PA.

The undersigned adopts this method of informing the travelling community, and citizens generally, that he has refitted and furnished anew throughout, with first class furniture, this well known and established house—the NATIONAL HOTEL, Millheim, Pa. He is well prepared to furnish first class accommodations to all who desire to make a hotel their Home, or pleasant temporary abode. The custom of the travelling public, and the surrounding country, is respectfully solicited. Courteous and attentive servants are engaged at this popular Hotel. The Stabling is the very best, and none but careful and accommodating Hostlers are employed.

JONATHAN KREMER,
jy14'69-1y. *Prop'r.*

PLEASANT GAP HOTEL.

The undersigned having purchased the Hotel property at Pleasant Gap, adopts this method of informing his friends in particular, and the travelling community generally, that he has refitted and furnished his house in the best style.

HIS TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market will afford, and

HIS BAR

with the best of Liquors

HIS STABLING

is the very best, and the proprietor prides himself therefore, upon the fact that his accommodations, both for man and beast, cannot be surpassed by any Hotel in the country. His old friends, as well as strangers and travellers, are most cordially invited to call. WM. ICKHOFF.

mar24'69 1y. Pleasant Gap, Pa.

BROCKERHOFF HOUSE,

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.
HOUSEAL & KROM, *Proprietors.*

A FIRST CLASS HOTEL—COMFORTABLE ROOMS, PROMPT ATTENDANCE.

ALL THE MODERN CONVENIENCES, AND REASONABLE CHARGES.

The proprietors offer to the traveling public, and to their country friends, first class accommodations and careful attention to the wants of guests at all times at fair rates. Careful hostlers and good stabling for horses. An excellent table well served. A Bar supplied with fine liquors. Servants well trained and every thing requisite in a first class Hotel. Our location is in the business part of the town, near the Post Office, the Court House, the Churches, the Banks, and the principal places of business, renders it the most eligible place for those who visit Bellefonte on business or for pleasure. An OMNIBUS WILL CARRY PASSENGERS and baggage to and from all trains free of charge. my12'69-tf.

GARMAN'S HOTEL.

DAN'L GARMAN, *Prop'r.*

This long established and well known Hotel, situated on the southeast corner of the Diamond, opposite the Court House, having been purchased by the undersigned, he announces to the former patrons of this establishment and to the traveling public generally, that he has thoroughly refitted his house, and is prepared to render the most satisfactory accommodation to all who may favor him with their patronage. No pains will be spared on his part to add to the convenience or comfort of his guests. All who stop with him will find

HIS TABLE abundantly supplied with the most sumptuous fare the market will afford, done up in style, by the most experienced cooks.

HIS BAR will always contain the choicest of liquors.

HIS STABLING is best in town, and will always be attended by the most trust worthy and attentive hostlers.

Give him a call, one and all, and he feels confident that all will be satisfied with their accommodation.

AN EXCELLENT LIVERY

is attached to this establishment, which strangers from abroad will find greatly to their advantage. ja6'69.1y.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BELLEFONTE MEAT MARKET

BISHOP STREET, BELLEFONTE PA.

The oldest Meat Market in Bellefonte.—Choice meat of all kinds always on hand.

ja6'69.1y. B. V. BLACK.

MILESBURG CARRIAGE WORKS.

SHIRER & WILLIAMS,

MILESBURG, CENTRE CO., PENN'A.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

LIGHT CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, PLATFORM SPRING WAGONS & SLEIGHS.

Repairing done with neatness and despatch.

All work done at

SHORT NOTICE AND WARRANTED

to give entire satisfaction.

je9'69-1y.

MISCELLANEOUS CARDS

M. S. GRAHAM, Fashionable Barber, in Basement of the Conrad House Bellefonte, Pa. The best of Razors, sharp and keen, always on hand. He guarantees a SHAVE without either pulling or pain.—Perfumery, Hair Oils, Hair Restoratives, Paper Collars, &c., constantly on hand. ja13'69.1y.

AARON R. PAUP. J. T. SALMONS. LEVIR PAUP.

PAUP, SALMONS & CO., Contractors and Bricklayers, Bellefonte, Pa., adopt this method of informing those wishing to build that they will furnish Brick and lay them, by the job, or by the thousand. Will set Heaters, and do all kinds of work in their branch of Business. ja20'69.1y.

JEREMIAH FASIC,

HOUSE & FURNITURE PAINTER

Paper Hanger and Sign Painter.

All kinds of Graining and Fancy Painting done to order at the lowest rates and in the best style. Orders left at Irwin & Wilson's Hardware store will receive immediate attention. sept.22'68-1y.

J. P. ODENKIRK,

WITH

ARTMAN, DILLINGER & COMPANY,

No. 104, NORTH THIRD ST., PHIL'A.

Two Doors above Arch, formerly 226,

MANUFACTURERS AND JOBBERS IN Carpets, Oil Cloths, Oil Shades, Wick Yarn, Cotton Yarns, Carpet Chains, Grain Bags, Window Paper, Batting, &c.

Also, WOODEN AND WILLOW WARE. Brooms, Brushes, Looking Glasses, &c., jy21'69-1y.

LOSE'S LIVERY STABLE.

The undersigned having entered into partnership in the Livery Business, under the firm name of Isaac Lose & Son, adopt this method of informing the people of Bellefonte, and the public generally, that they will carry on the business in the Burnside Stable. It is the determination to keep the very best

HORSES, BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES,

and to hire them out at the most reasonable rates. Thankful for the kindness and favor they have received from the community in the past they will make it their chief object to merit the continuance of the same.

ISAAC LOSE.
apr14'69 1y. GEO. A. LOSE.

THE WINCHESTER RIFLE (18 shots,)

SPENCER'S WESSON'S

and other

BREECH-LOADING RIFLES AND SHOT GUNS

DOUBLE AND SINGLE RIFLES,

Shot Guns, Revolvers and other Pistols.

Also, Repairing done

AT DESCHNER'S GUN SHOP,

Bush's Arcade, High St., Bellefonte, Pa. aug11'69-1y.

MUSIC, DRAWING AND PAINTING SCHOOL.

Mrs. M. S. DUNHAM

having been a successful teacher of Vocal and Instrumental Music—Piano, Melodian, Organ and thorough Bass—Painting and Drawing, for the last twelve years, is now prepared to admit a few more scholars to her school, upon reasonable terms.

Having recently received a splendid new Piano, of a celebrated Boston manufacture, which pupils not having instruments of their own to practice on, can have the use of.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore received, she hopes to merit a continuance of the same. Rooms up one flight of stairs, over Centre Co. Banking House, on Allegheny street. Also, agent for all kinds of good Musical Instruments, Pianos, Organs, or call on her at her rooms, at Bellefonte, Pa. jy21'69-tf.

WM. S. TRIPPLE.

MERCHANT TAILOR.

BUSH'S ARCADE, UP STAIRS,

BELLEFONTE, PENN'A.

Having just received, from Philadelphia, a large stock of Broad Cloth, Cassimers, and an extensive variety of Spring and Summer Goods, I am prepared to furnish my friends and customers, the very best at the most reasonable prices.

My thanks are due those who have patronized me for many years, and a cordial invitation is hereby extended to the public generally, to call and examine my Goods and Prices before purchasing elsewhere. I am also prepared, at all times, to make up Goods furnished by customers. All suits warranted to fit.

my12'69 1y W. S. TRIPPLE.

GEORGE BLYMYER.....ANDREW BLYMYER
JACOB C. BLYMYER.....JOE. P. BLYMYER.

MILROY WAREHOUSE.

GEORGE BLYMYER & SON'S,

having taken possession of the Warehouse at

MILROY, MIFFLIN COUNTY, PENN.,

beg leave to announce to the citizens of Centre county that they are prepared to buy

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN

AT THE

HIGHEST MARKET PRICES.

SALT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

COAL AND PLASTER ALWAYS ON

hand. Thankful for past favors, we solicit a continuance of the same.

jy14'69.tf.

MERCHANT TAILORING,

ESTABLISHMENT,

NO. 7, BROCKERHOFF'S ROW.

The undersigned takes pleasure in informing the citizens of Centre county and the public generally, that he is just opening a

SPLENDID AND RICH ASSORTMENT

OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Cloths,
Cassimeres
and
Vestings,

Which he is prepared to make to order in the latest and most fashionable styles, for men or boys. Goods sold by the piece or by the yard. He also keeps on hand a full line of

GENTS FURNISHING GOODS,

of every style and description.
He is also agent for the celebrated

SINGER SEWING MACHINE.

ja5'69.1y JOHN MONTGOMERY.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. G. LOVE, Attorney at Law, • Bellefonte, Pa. Office on High St. ja6'69-1y.

JAMES H. RANKIN, Attorney at Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Office in Armory building, 2nd floor. ja6'69.1y.

E. C. HUMES, *Pres't.* J. P. HARRIS, *Cash'r.*

FIRST NATIONAL BANK Of Bellefonte. Allegheny St., Bellefonte Pa. ja6'69.

H. N. M'ALLISTER. JAMES A. BEAVER.

M'ALLISTER & BEAVER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte Penn'a. ja6'69.1y.

EDMUND BLANCHARD. EVAN M. BLANCHARD.

E. & E. M. BLANCHARD, Attorneys-at-Law, Allegheny St., Bellefonte, Pa. ja6'69.1y.

W. W. BROWN, Attorney-at-Law, Bellefonte, Penn'a., will attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care. ja6'69-1y.

JOHN H. ORVIS. CYRUS T. ALEXANDER.

ORVIS & ALEXANDER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Office in Conrad House, Allegheny St. ja6'69,1y.

W. J. KEALSH, Attorney-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa., will attend faithfully to all business entrusted to his care. Deeds, Bonds, &c, executed in the best style. mar10'69 2m.

URIAH STOVER, Licensed Auctioneer, will attend to all sales entrusted to his care. Charges reasonable. Address, Uriah Stover, Houserville, Centre Co., Pa. ja6'69.6m.

AUGUSTUS HIBLER M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office at his residence near the Quaker Meeting House. Will attend to all business in his profession at all times and at all hours. je16'69 1y.

GEORGE F. HARRIS, M. D., Physician and Surgeon; Pension Surgeon for Centre county, will attend promptly to all professional calls. Office on High St., North Side. ja27'69.1y.

WM. H. ARMSTRONG.....SAMUEL LINN.

ARMSTRONG & LINN, Attorneys-at-Law Williamsport, Pa., will attend, promptly, to all business entrusted to their care. jy14'69-1y.

JAS. H. DOBBINS, Physician and Surgeon. Office up-stairs in J. H. McClure's new Building, Bishop St., Bellefonte, Pa. Will attend to all business in his profession, faithfully at all times, and all hours. ja13'69.y.

A. B. HUTCHISON & CO'S. Job Printing Office, "Republican" Building, Bishop St., Bellefonte, Penn'a. Every Description of Plain and Fancy printing done in the neatest manner, and at prices below city rates. ja6'69.

DR. R. D. TIPPLE, Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon, continues to practice his profession as heretofore, and expects to in the future notwithstanding. Office in First National Bank Building, Bellefonte, Pa. sept.22'69-1y.

D. G. BUSH. GEO. M. YOCUM.

BUSH & YOCUM, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa., will attend to all business entrusted to them, with promptness.—Office on Northeast Corner of the Diamond, in Mrs. Irvin's stone building. ja13'69 y.

WILSON & HUTCHISON, Attorneys-at Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Collections, all other and legal business in Centre and the adjoining Counties, promptly attended to. Office in Blanchard's Law building, Allegheny street. ja6'69.

WM. H. BLAIR. H. Y. STITZER.

BLAIR & STITZER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Can be consulted in both the English and German languages.—Office on the Diamond, next door to Garman's Hotel. feb10'69.1y.

CENTRE CO. BANKING COMPANY.—Receive Deposits and allow Interest; Discount Notes; Buy and Sell Government Securities, Gold and Coupons.

HENRY BROCKERHOFF, *President.*
J. D SHUGERT, *Cashier.* ja13'69y.

GEO. L. POTTER, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, offers his professional services to the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity. Office removed to house formerly occupied by Mrs. Livingston, on Spring st, two doors South of Presbyterian church. mar17'69-1y.

JOHN F. POTTER, Attorney at law Collection promptly made and special attention given to those having lands or property for sale. Will draw up and have acknowledged deeds, mortgages, &c. Office in Garman's new building, opposite the Court House. Oct27'69-3m.

WM. BROWN, Licensed Auctioneer, hereby informs the public that he holds himself in readiness at all times, to attend to all Auctions, Vendues, or Public Sales of personal or Real Estate. Charges reasonable. Call on, or address, William Brown, Bellefonte, Pa. mar17'69-1y.

S. BELFORD, D. D. S., Practical Dentist; office in Armory Building, over Irwin & Wilson's Hardware Store, Allegheny St. Dr. B. is a graduate of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, and respectfully offers his professional services to the citizens of Bellefonte and visinity.—Can be found at his residence except during the last week of each month. apr14'69-1y

G. E. CHANDLER, M. D., Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon, Bellefonte, Penn's. Office—2nd floor, over Harper & Bro's Store. Residence at the office.

References.—Hon. C. A. Mayer, Pres. judge of Lock Haven, L. A. Mackey, Pres. First National Bank, J. V. V. Whaley, of the Clinton Democrat, E. D. Macky, Teller First National Bank. Sept. 15,'69-tf.

J. W. RHONE, DENTIST, Boalsburg Centre Co., Pa., most respectfully informs the public that he is prepared to execute any description of work in his profession Satisfaction rendered, and rates as moderate as may be expected. Will be found in his office during the week, commencing on the first Monday of each month, and at such other times as may be agreed upon. ja13'69.1y.

INSURANCE—LIFE & FIRE.—Joseph A. Rankin of this Borough, insures property for the following Stock and Mutual companies, viz: Lycoming Mutual, York Company, Pa., Insurance of North America, Enterprise, and Girard of Phila., Pa., Home, of New Haven, and any *other* reliable company desired. Also, Provident Life Company of Phil'a., and other good Life Companies. ja6'69.1y.

J. F. HOLAHAN, Physician and Surgeon, having removed from Emporium, Cameron county, has located in Milesburg, Centre county, Pa., where he will faithfully attend to all business entrusted to him in his Profession. Office in his residence on Main St., where he can always be seen unless professionally engaged. In his absence from home, orders may be left at the store of Thos. Holahan. mar10'69-1y.

J. D. WINGATE D. D. S., Dentist, Office corner of Spring, and High, st., Bellefonte Pa.—Thankful for past favors, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. Has the right for Centre County to use Dr. S. Stuch's patented improvement putting up dental plates. That this is an improvement we have the written testimony of many of the best and most talented Physician in the United tates. Office rights for sale. ja6'69-1y.

LOCAL LAWS.

AN ACT To incorporate the Bellefonte and Pine Grove Turnpike Company.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That Samuel Watts, John Withers, R. H. Lee, David Mitchell, M. C. Nelson, John A. Wright, William Simms, W. H. Wommer, L. C. Reskitt, Robert Huey, Samuel Steffey, George M. Kepler, John B. Mitchell, William Burchfield, or any four of them, be and are hereby appointed commissioners to open books, receive subscriptions and organize a company, by the name, style and title of the Bellefonte and Pine Grove Turnpike Company, with power to construct a turnpike from Bellefonte, in the county of Mifflin, to Pine Grove, in the county of Centre, subject to all the provisions and restrictions of an act regulating turnpike and plank road companies, approved the twenty-sixth day of January, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the several supplements thereto, except so far as they are hereby altered and supplied.

SECTION 2. That the capital stock of the said company shall consist of five hundred shares, of twenty-five dollars each share: Provided, That said company may from time to time, by a vote of the stockholders, at a meeting called for that purpose, increase their capital stock so much as in their opinion may be necessary to complete said road and carry out the true intent and meaning of this act: Provided, That letters patent shall be issued to the company when ten or more persons shall have subscribed ten per centum of the capital stock hereby authorized.

SECTION 3. That it shall be lawful for the said company to make use of any county bridge on the line of the route of their road, and also use the whole or any part of any public road, and locate their road upon the ground occupied by any public road: and the court of quarter sessions of the county through which the road of the said company passes shall appoint viewers to view and vacate such parts of any public road as shall be used or rendered unnecessary by the construction of the said company's road, as is provided by the general laws of this commonwealth in the cases of roads which have become useless.

SECTION 4. That the president and managers shall have power to regulate and establish rates of toll, not exceeding quadruple the rates established by the act hereinbefore mentioned, and the several supplements thereto, and to erect toll-gates and collect tolls whenever any one mile thereof shall have been completed: Provided, That it shall not be required of the company to cause more than sixteen feet in width to be made an artificial road; and provided further, That their road shall at no places rise or fall more than will form an angle of six degrees from a horizontal line.

SECTION 5. That the said company shall have power to borrow money, at a rate of interest not exceeding eight per centum per annum, for the purpose of completing their road, and issue bonds therefor, and secure the same by mortgage of their road and franchises.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The Twelfth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT To incorporate the Spring Creek Fish Company.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That D. G. Bush, S. T. Shugert, P. P. Green, C. T. Alexander, T. M. Hoverd, J. A. Hackenberg and H. H. Foster, of the County of Centre, and those who shall become stockholders in the company hereinafter named, be and they are hereby incorporated into a body politic and corporate, with the rights, privileges and franchises of a corporation, by the name, style and title of the Spring Creek Fish Company, for the purpose of the rearing, culture and sale of spawn and fish on or near the waters of Spring creek, in the county of Centre; and for that purpose shall have the right to hold and enjoy, by purchase or lease, or take, at an appraisement of three disinterested men to be appointed by the court of common pleas of Centre county for that purpose, such lands and waters as may be necessary for said purposes, and to erect, maintain and put in operation such sluices, dams, inlets and reservoirs and buildings as may be necessary, and the same to lease or sell as they may deem proper.

SECTION 2. That the capital stock of said company shall be ten thousand dollars, in shares of ten dollars each, to be issued to the subscribers in proportion to the number of shares subscribed by each; and the said capital stock may be increased or diminished as the board of directors may determine.

SECTION 3. That if any person shall wilfully destroy or injure any dam, inlet, sluice or reservoir, or shall in any manner corrupt the waters of any sluice, inlet or reservoir, whereby the spawn of fish therein may be injured or destroyed, or shall fish in the pond or reservoirs, and shall take fish from the same, or shall do and commit injury to the buildings or trees upon the grounds of said company, the same shall be a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof in the court of quarter sessions of Centre county, he or she so offending shall be fined by said court, in a sum not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or shall undergo an imprisonment in the county jail for not less than ten days or more than six months, or both, or either, at the discretion of the court.

SECTION 4. That the corporators above named shall, at the call of any three of their number, of which five days' notice shall be given in writing to the other corporators, assemble at the Bush house, in Bellefonte, on any day and at a place fixed for that purpose, and there and there organize the said company by electing one of their number president, and one secretary and treasurer; and the said corporators shall forthwith proceed to elect by ballot the affairs of said company for one year thereafter

SECTION 5. That it shall be the duty of the secretary and treasurer to open books of subscription to the capital stock of said company, and issue certificates of stock, as may be provided in the by-laws.

SECTION 6. That the directors of said company may from time to time enact such by-laws, rules and regulations as may be necessary for the management of said company, not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of this commonwealth.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The fifteenth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT Extending the provisions of an act, entitled "An Act to promote the improvement of real estate, by exempting mortgages and other money securities from taxation, except for state purposes, in certain counties of this commonwealth," approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, to the counties of Pike, Centre and Wayne.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the provisions of an act, entitled "An Act to promote the improvement of real estate, by exempting mortgages and other money securities from taxation, except for state purposes, in certain counties of this commonwealth," approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, be and the same are hereby extended to the counties of Pike, Centre and Wayne.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The thirteenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT To separate the office of recorder, in Centre county, from the offices of register and clerk of the orphans' court.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the qualified electors of Centre county shall, at the next general election, after the passage of this act, at the times and places of electing representatives, and whenever thereafter it becomes necessary for an election, elect one person to fill the office of recorder, and one person to fill the office of register and clerk of the orphans' court; and so much of any act of assembly as is inconsistent herewith is hereby repealed.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The fifteenth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT For the prevention of the mutilation and destruction of show bills, placards, posters, programmes, announcements, et cetera, and for the protection of the proprietors of places of amusement, merchants, manufacturers and others in the city of Philadelphia and county of Centre.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage

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of this act any person found guilty of mutilating, destroying, tearing down or removing any show bill, placard, programme, poster or other advertisement posted up on any wall, fence, bill-board or other structure in or located on any public highway in the city of Philadelphia or county of Centre, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for the first of fence; upon a conviction for a second offence the penalty shall be imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not less than three nor more than six months: Provided, The penalties of this act shall not apply to those tearing down or removing show bills, play bills, posters, programmes, et cetera, after the performance therein advertised, or to the owner or tenant of any building, fence or other structure upon which the said show bills, play bills, programmes, et cetera, may be posted against his or their wishes, save and except such owner or tenant be the bill-poster putting up or employed to put up said show bills, play bills, posters, programmes, et cetera; in such case the penalty shall be as in the first and second offences. All fines collected under and by virtue of this act shall be paid into the state treasury.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The second day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT To authorize the school directors of Walker township, Centre county, to levy and collect a bounty tax.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That it shall be lawful for the school directors of Walker township, Centre county, at their next annual levy of school tax for said township, to levy a sum in addition to that which may be necessary for ordinary school and building purposes) sufficient to pay off the existing bounty debt of said township, and collect the same as other taxes are collected: Provided, That the said additional sum shall not exceed one thousand dollars

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The twenty-fourth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT To an act to empower the town council of the borough of Bellefonte, in Centre county, to borrow money, approved the fourteenth day of February, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the town council of the borough of Bellefonte are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow, on the credit of said borough, for the purposes stated in said act to which this is a supplement, the further sum of not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, at the same rate of interest, and upon the same conditions provided for in said act; and the said town council and their successors in office are hereby further empowered to levy and collect such taxation, in addition to that now allowed by law, as may be necessary to pay the annual interest on the funded debt of said borough.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The ninth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT For the better protection and maintenance of the poor in Erie county, and to equalize the burden of taxation for said purpose.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this act it shall be lawful for the court to appoint one of the acting justices of the peace in each of the boroughs, wards and townships, within the county of Erie, to determine for their respective townships, wards and boroughs, who are proper subjects of charity, and who shall receive relief under the poor laws of this commonwealth, within their several districts, and shall also determine the assistance that shall be rendered as shall best protect the unfortunate and the interest of the tax-payers of the several townships, wards and boroughs within the said county, and in what way they shall be cared for, either by giving relief at home or sending them to the county poor house.

SECTION 2. That the commissioners of Erie county shall keep an account with the several townships, wards and boroughs within the same, and once in each year, at the regular settlement, exhibit to the auditors of said county the said accounts, and settle all matters relating to the keeping of the poor of said county; and that each township, ward or borough shall be charged with and pay the expenses of keeping their respective poor, and shall, in addition, be charged with and pay their just portion towards the salary of the superintendent and necessary building, repairing and other expenses of the common poor house within said county, in proportion to the number of poor said townships, wards and boroughs may have in said poor house for that year.

SECTION 3. That the money collected from the several districts as aforesaid, for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and not required for the purposes aforesaid, shall remain a fund in the hands of the treasurer of said county and be credited and stand for the township, ward or borough from which it was collected, subject to the order of the justices of the proper district, whose order shall be a good voucher to said treasurer in the settlement of his accounts with commissioners of the county, in the proper settlement to be made as aforesaid.

SECTION 4 That the commissioners of the county shall pay to the several justices of the peace, for their services as aforementioned, a reasonable compensation, when properly presented under oath or affirmation that it is just and correct, not exceeding one dollar and fifty cents for each day by them devoted to poor of their respective districts, and the same shall be charged to the districts in which said services were rendered.

AN ACT To cure the defects in fixing the number of jurors, and in filling the jury wheel in Centre county.

WHEREAS, The court of common pleas of Centre county, at its last session in one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, did not fix the number of jurors to be placed in the wheel for one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine;

And Whereas, The president judge and jury commissioners of said county met and fixed the number, and selected the names and placed them in the wheel in the month of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and it is desired to validate said action therefore,

SECTION 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the proceedings of the president judge and jury commissioners of centre county, in fixing the number of persons to be placed in the jury wheel for one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine in selecting said names and in placing them in said jury wheel, and all defects in regard thereto, or in drawing jurors therefrom, are hereby validated and made legal with like effect as if the same had been done in strict compliance with existing laws,

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The ninth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

JNO. W. GEARY.

MILLINERY AND FANCY STORE.

BELLEFONTE, PA.

The undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Bellefonte, and of Centre County, that she has opened a large and extensive stock of

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS

in the store room recently occupied by G. Livingston. Her goods are all new and were purchased for cash and she is therefore prepared to sell at reduced prices. Her experience in the business warrants her in saying, that the Ladies of Bellefonte or elsewhere, will save time and money by visiting her store before purchasing. latest style and fashion plates can alway be seen at the store.

MRs. PATTIE BAER

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A CARD.—The Sessions of the Nittany Valley Institute will be suspended during the winter, to be resumed in the spring. nov.10'69-3t. SAML. M. OTTO.

Original Poetry.

For the Republican.

HOW MANY?

BY J. G. LONDEN.

How many, O, how many,
Of earth's fairest, brightest flowers,
Are fading, daily fading,
Beneath temptation's powers?
We viewed them oft in childhood,
When life seemed all agleam;
But now how wrecked of manhood
They move upon the stream.

How many, O, how many,
Thus unforgotten die,
That played with us in childhood,
Beneath the same blue sky;
They joined with us in laughter,
And sang the same fond lay;
But those bright hours of pleasure
Were born—but to decay.

How many, O how many,
Are tossed by life's cold waves,
And unremembered dying,
To fill dishonored graves?
A kind word may have brought them
From their bitterness and woe,
Or a loving smile have taught them
Of their pureness—long ago.

How many, O, how many,
With riches at command,
Now scorn the poor lone outcasts
Of our bright and happy land?
When a smile

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BELLEFONTE, PA.,

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ADVERTISING.—*The* BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN *has a larger circulation than any other Republican paper published in the county. Our merchants and business men will please make a note of this.*

MONEY MONEY!—Two numbers more will close the first volumn of the REPUBLICAN. We have succeded beyond our expectation. Our subscription list is large. We have no desire to part company with any of our subscribers. We do not wish to strike a single name from our list; but our terms are Cash, in advance, and we must enforce them. We will send the paper the second year, only to those who have paid up for the first.

The Next Legislature.

"Invisible," the Harrisburg correspondent of the Blair County *Radical*, in his last letter to that paper, says: "You would not believe what a change a week makes in politics. The Speakership look out is quite different from what it was a few days ago. Then, as I wrote, there was a rifting at the idea that Strang would probably lead our Republican Legislature, but beyond that, very little else to counteract the concentration upon him. But since, things have changed bravely, and the meditated surrender of last week is a hand-to-hand conflict to day. Webb, of Bradford, has thought over his candidacy and has withdrawn, it is said, in the interest of Strang. Ackley's death is beginning to be deplored.—Johnson and Reinœhl remain in the field. From various sources I have prepared the following table and believe it indicates the strength of the candidates to day.

Districts.	Strang.	Johnson.	Reinœhl.
Allegheny	2	4	—
Armstrong	—	1	—
Beaver, &c	—	3	—
Blair	2	—	—
Bradford, &c	2	—	—
Chester	—	2	1
Crawford	1	2	—
Dauphin	1	1	—
Delaware	1	—	—
Erie	—	2	—
Indiana, &c	—	3	—
Lancaster	—	—	4
Lebanon	—	—	1
Luzerne	2	—	—
Lycoming	1	1	—
Mercer, &c	—	4	—
Philadelphia	10	3	—
Somerset, &c	1	1	—
Susquehanna, &c	2	—	—
Tioga, &c	2	—	—
Venango, &c	—	2	—
Total	26	28	6

"There are 60 Republican members, and 31 are required to make a nomination in caucus. From the table above, it will be seen no candidate has a majority. The chances are rather favorable for Johnson. I heard a prominent Strang man say last night that three of the 26 claimed for Strang were doubtful. Of the 28 marked for Johnson, 26 are certainly for him. Four of Reinœhl's supporters are said to prefer Johnson to Strang."

However correct "Invisible" may be in regard to the other votes, says the Meadville *Republican*, he has set down for Mr. Strang, he is very much out of the way in supposing that Col. Ames of this county intends supporting him. The Colonel is *strong* for Mr. Johnson—which will change the above figures to 25 for Strang and 29 for Johnson. When the vote in caucus is taken, however, we venture to predict that Mr. Johnson will have a clear majority on the first ballot.

The Oil City *Times* makes the following complimentary allusions to the Hon. Henry C. Johnson in conection with the Speakership of the House this winter:

"Accounts from the different parts of the State represent the campaign for the Speakership of the next House as being very animated. Judging from the tone of the different papers, the feelings of the masses of the party and we believe a majority of the members, is against the nomination of Strang, but so far the opposition to him seems to be divided as to a choice. The most prominent and by far the ablest opponent of Strang, is the Hon. H. C. Johnson, of Crawford. Mr. Johnson was Speaker of the House in 1864, and made an excellent record in that position, earning the encomiums of both parties by the able and dignified manner in which he discharged the duties of his office. Those Republican members of the Legislature who desire an honest, impartial conduct of affairs at Harrisburg, this winter, can find no other member more worthy of their support, or better fitted to fill the Speaker's chair and give satisfaction to the rank and file of the party throughout this section and the whole State."

INSTEAD of the National debt being decreased between three and four millions last month, as we stated yesterday, the reduction was $7,571,454,-13. The first statement was obtained from a proper official source, but an expectedly large receipts came in on the night of the 30th, thereby largely changing the first figures. It appears there is now $105,769,940 11 in coin in the treasury. Of this amount $36,-826,940 00 is in gold certificates.—There is also on hand $11,802,765 79 in currency. The reduction in the debt since March 1st amounts to $71,-903,521 78.—*Tel.*

HEAVY LOSS.—The loss of the Second National Bank at Cleveland, Ohio by the defalcation of the late cashier Buell, who committed suicide recently, it is said will reach the enormous amount of $600,000. The directors have decided to make good the losses of special depositors, and as the stockholders are, mostly, wealthy men, it is supposed that the bank can stand the pressure of the heavy drain upon its funds.

The Real School Question.

The Roman Catholics do not ask to have the Bible excluded from the public schools.

They do not demand that there shall be no religious instruction in the schools.

Speaking of the exclusion of the Bible, the Roman *Tablet*, of this city, says;

"If this has been done with a view to reconcile the Catholics to the Common School system, its purpose will not be realized. It does not meet, nor in any degree lessen our objection to the Public School system, and only proves the impracticability of that system in a mixed community of Catholics and Protestants."

They are opposed to the system of secular education by the State, which requires all children to be educated in the same schools, Protestant and Catholic together, side by side.

If all the public schools of the city were under Roman Catholic teachers, and the Bible and religious instruction excluded, the Roman Catholics would not be satisfied.

They are opposed to any system that combines the Roman Catholic children in Schools with Protestant children, where the instruction is not strictly sectarian, and that the sectarianism of Romanists.

Therefore, they ask that the school fund may be distributed among the several denominations according to the number of children attending school.

The utter folly and mischief of such a scheme are obvious. But if the Roman Catholics want it, they can have it, because the politicians will give them anything they want, and Protestants do not care enough about it to make any organized and public resistance.

In these days of injuctions, if there had been any of the old American spirit burning in the city, an injunction would have been laid upon Mr. Jarvis, restraining him from distributing the money appropriated by the last Legislature for the sectarian schools.—*N. Y. Observer.*

The State Treasuryship

Mr. QUAY has no one upon his slate except Mr. Mackey for State Treasurer, and that slate is going through. He has intimated no preference for any one for Speaker, but will certainly resist the election of any candidate who is unfriendly to Mr. M., and none such will be elected.—*Beaver Radical.*

So says the Prophet of the Ring. The "slate" has been made up, and Mr. QUAY says it "is going through." Senators and members will please take notice, and prepare to indorse the slate whereby another session of corruption and extravagance will be inaugurated at Harrisburg. The Ring evidently feel strong, and count on absolute obedience from the representatives of the people. Such audacity deserves to be rebuked. It is full time that leaders who make up "slate" to enable them to run the Legislature as a money making machine were given to understand that their occupation is gone. The "slate" is to be put through, says the ringmaster; that is, money is to be used to accomplish the object. Such things have been done before. But we question whether it can be again. A "slate" set up as this has been, and proclaimed with the unblushing avowal of Mr. QUAY, *can command the support of no one who has the least regard for his standing among honorable men.—Pittsburg Commercial.*

Not In Favor of It.

The *Commercial List* is not only not in favor of a speedy resumption of specie payments, but opens its batteries upon all who do favor it. It assumes to speak for the people, and its language is emphatic. Hear it: The people's wishes are plain. They say to Congress: *Assail the greenbacks no longer; let specie payments come about in a purely natural way, or* NEVER.—*Give us a free banking law; for four years you have shackled and fettered us, contracting the currency, and at the same time forcing us to pay off in undue measures the principal of the public debt.* Keep your hands off, they repeat, if you only mean to oppress us. Let us alone and we will work out our own salvation. We will gradually amass the wealth which will bring about specie payments, and enable our debt to be funded at the lowest rate of interest. If you will neither help us nor let us alone, we will take the matter into our hands, and, sooner or later, make a settlement which shall be final and complete."

BEHIND.—Owing to the sickness of one of our compositors, we are one day behind time in the publication of our paper. We received the Pittsburg *Commercial* containing the President's Message, on Tuesday, 11 o'clock a. m., and insert as much of it as we could find space for. We will print the balance next week. The message is an able State paper, and does honor both to the head and heart of President Grant, and we have no doubt will be read with pleasure, pride, and profit, by every Republican in the country.—The message of the President, and the report of Secretary Boutwell, have already restored confidence to the business and commercial centres of the country, and as we predicted, business will revive without a money panic, much to the annoyance, chagrin and disappointment of the copperheads.

WASHINGTON TELEGRAMS state that Senator Sherman expresses confidence in the success of his funding bill, which passed the Portieth Congress and was pocketed by President Johnson. He will reintroduce it early in the session, modified by a provision for a lower rate of interest, and urge speedy action on it.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 6, '69.

To the Senate and House of Representatives.

WHAT WE ARE TO BE THANKFUL FOR.

In coming before you for the first time as Chief Magistrate of this great nation, it is with gratitude to the Giver of all Good for the many benefits we enjoy. We are blessed with peace at home, and are without entangling alliances abroad to forbode trouble; with a territory unsurpassed in fertility, and with an area equal to the abundant support of fifty millions of people, and abounding in every variety of useful mineral, in quantity sufficient to supply the world for generations; with abundant crops, with a variety of climate adapted to the production of every species of earth's riches, and suited to the habits, tastes, and require ments of every living thing; with a population of forty millions of free people, all speaking one language; with facilities for every mortal to acquire an education; with institutions closing to none the avenues to fame or any blessing or fortune that may be coveted; with freedom of the pulpit, the press and the school; with a revenue flowing into the national treasury beyond the requirements of the government. Harmony is being rapidly restored within our own borders, manufactures hitherto unknown in our country, are springing up in all directions, producing a degree of national independence unequalled by that of any other power. These blessings, and countless others, are entrusted to your care, and mine, for safe keeping for the brief period of our tenure of office. In a short time we must, each of us, return to the ranks of the people who have conferred upon us our honors, and account to them for our stewardships. I earnestly desire that neither you nor I may be condemned by a free and enlightened constituency, nor by our own consciences.

RECONSTRUCTION.

Emerging from a rebellion of gigantic magnitude, aided, as it was, by the sympathy and assistance of nations with which we were at peace, eleven States of the Union were, four years ago, left without legal State Government. A debt had been contracted; American commerce was almost driven from the seas; the industry of one-half of the country had been broken from the control of the capitalists and placed where all labor rightfully belongs, in the keeping of the laborer.—The work of restoring State Governments loyal to the Union, of protecting and fostering free labor, and providing means for paying the interest on the public debt, has received ample attention from Congress. Although your efforts have not met with the success in all particulars that might have been desired, yet on the whole they have been reasonably anticipated. Seven States which passed ordinances of secession have been fully restored to their places in the Union. The eighth (Georgia) held an election at which she ratified a Constitution, Republican in form, elected a Governor, members of Congress, a State Legislature, and all other officers required. The Governor was duly installed, and the legislature met and performed all the acts required of them by the reconstruction acts of Congress. Subsequently, however, in violation of the constitution which they had just ratified, as since decided by the Supreme Court of the State, they unseated the colored members of the legislature and admitted to seats some members who are disqualified by the third clause of the fourteenth amendment to the constitution, an article which they themselves had contributed to ratify. Under the circumstances, I would submit to you whether it would not be wise, without delay, to enact a law authorizing the Governor of Georgia to convene the members originally elected to the legislature, requiring each member to take the oath prescribed by the reconstruction act, and none to be admitted who are ineligible under the third clause of the fourteenth amendment.

The freedmen, under the protection which they have received, are making rapid progress in learning, and no complaints are heard of lack of industry on their part, when they receive fair remuneration for their labor.

THE DEBT AND COMMERCE.

The means provided for paying the interest on the public debt, with all other expenses of Government, are more than ample. The loss of our commerce is the only result of the late rebellion which has not received sufficient attention from you. To this subject I call your earnest attention. I will not now suggest plans by which this object may be effected, but will, if necessary, make it the subject of a special message during the session of Congress.

THE UNRECONSTRUCTED STATES.

The March term of Congress, by joint resolution authorized the Executive to order an election in the States of Virginia, Mississipi and Texas; to submit to them the constitutions which each had previously in convention framed, and submit the constitution, either entire or in separate parts, to be voted upon at the discretion of the Executive. Under this authority elections were called. In Virginia the election took place on the sixth of July, 1869. The Governor and Lieutenant Governor elected have been installed; the Legislature met and did all required by this resolution, and by all the reconstruction acts of Congress, and abstained from all doubtful authority. I recommend that her Senators and Representatives, and that the State be fully restored to its place in the family of States. Elections were called in Mississipi and Texas, to commence on the thirtieth of November, 1869, and to last two days in Mississipi and four days in Texas. The elections have taken place, but the result is not known. It is to be hoped that the acts of the Legislatures of these States, when they meet, will be such as to receive your approval, and thus close the work of reconstruction.

THE CURRENCY QUESTION.

Among the evils growing out of the rebellion, and not yet referred to, is that of an irredeemable currency. It is an evil which I hope will receive your most earnest attention. It is a duty and one of the highest duties of government to secure to the citizen a medium of exchange of fixed unvarying value. This implies a return to a specie basis, and no substitute for it can be devised. It should be commenced now and reached at the earliest practicable moment consistent with a fair regard to the interest of the debtor class. Immediate resumption, if practicable, would not be desirable. It would compel the debtor class to pay beyond their contracts the premium in gold at the date of their purchase, and would bring bankruptcy and ruin to thousands. Fluctuations, however, in the paper value of the measure of all values—gold—is detrimental to the interests of trade. It makes the man of business an involuntary gambler, for in all states when future payment is to be made both parties speculate as to what will be the value of the currency to be paid and received. I earnestly recommend to you, then, such legislation as will insure a gradual return to specie payments, and put an immediate stop to fluctuations in the value of currency. The methods to secure these results are as numerous as the speculations on political economy. To secure the latter I see but one way, and that is, to authorize the Treasury to redeem its own paper at a fixed price whenever presented, and to withhold from circulation all such currency redeemed until sold again for gold. The vast resources of the nation, both developed and undeveloped, ought to make our credit the best on earth. With a less burden of taxation than the citizen has endured for six years past, the entire public debt could be paid in ten years. But it is not desirable that the people should be taxed to pay it in that time. Year by year the ability to pay increases in a rapid ratio, but the burden of interest ought to be reduced as rapidly as can be done without the violation of contract. The public debt is represented in great part by bonds having from five to twenty and from ten to forty years to run, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent, and five per cent, respectively. It is optional with the Government to pay their bonds at any period after the expiration of the last time mentioned upon their face. The time has already expired when a great part of them may be taken up. The time is rapidly approaching when all may be. It is believed that all which are now due may be replaced by bonds bearing a rate of interest not exceeding four and a half per cent., and as rapidly as the remainder becomes due that they may be replaced in the same way. To accomplish this it may be necessary to authorize the interest to be paid at either of three or four money centres of Europe, or by any Assistant Treasurer of the United States, at the option of the holders of the bonds. I suggest this subject for the consideration of Congress. Also, simultaneously with this, the propriety of redeeming our currency, as before suggested, at its market value at the time the law goes into effect, increasing the rate at which currency will be bought and sold from day to day or week to week, at the same rate of interest as the government pays upon its bonds.

THE TARIFF AND INTERNAL TAXATION.

The subject of the tariff and internal taxation will necessarily receive your attention. The revenues of the country are greater than the requirements, and may with safety be reduced; but as the funding of the debt in a four or a four and a half per cent. would reduce the annual current expenses largely, thus after funding justifying a greater reduction of taxation than would be now expedient, I suggest a postponent of this question until the next meeting of Congress. It may be advisable to modify taxation, and tariff, instances where unjust or burdensome discriminations are made by the present laws; but a general revision of the laws regulating this subject, I recommend the postponement of for the present. I suggest the renewal of the tax on incomes, but at a reduced rate, say of three per cent., and this tax to expire in three years. With the funding of the national debt as here suggested, I feel safe in saying the taxes and revenue from imports may be reduced safely from sixty to eighty millions per annum at once, and still reduced from year to year as the resources of the country are developed.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE COUNTRY.

The report of the Secretary of the Treasury shows the receipts of Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1869, to be $370,943,748, and the expenditures, including interest, bounties, &c., to be $321,490,597.—The estimates for the ensuing year are more favorable to the Government, and will no doubt show a large decrease of the public debt. The receipts in the Treasury beyond expenditures have exceeded the amount necessary to place to the credit of the sinking fund, as provided by law. To lock up the surplus in the Treasury and withhold it from circulation, would lead to such contraction of the currency as to cripple trade, and seriously affect the prosperity of the country. Under these circumstances the Secretary of the Treasury and myself heartily concurred in the propriety of using all the surplus currency in the Treasury in the purchase of Government bonds, thus reducing the interest bearing debt of the country and of submitting to Congress the question of the disposition to be made of the bonds so purchased.—The bonds now held by the Treasury amount to about $75,000,000, including those belonging to the sinking fund. I recommend that the whole be placed to the credit of the sinking fund.

Your attention is respectfully invited to the recommendations of the Secretary of the Treasury for the creation of the office of Commissioner of Customs Revenue; for an increase of salary to certain classes of officials, and the substitution of increased national bond circulation to replace the outstanding 3 per cent certificates, and most especially to his recommendation for the repeal of the laws allowing shares of fines, penalties, forfeitures, &c., to officers of the Government or to informers.

COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE.

The office of Commissioner of Internal Revenue is one of the most arduous and responsible under the Government. It falls but little if any short of a Cabinet position in its importance and responsibilities. I would ask for it, therefore such legislation as in your judgment will place the office on a footing of dignity commensurate with its importance, and with a character and qualifications of the class of men required to fill it properly.

CUBA.

As the United States is the first of all nations, so, too, its people sympathize with all peoples struggling for liberty and self-government. But while sympathizing, it is due to our honor that we should abstain from enforcing our views upon unwilling nations, and from taking an interested part without invitation in the quarrels between different nations, or between governments and their subjects. Our course should always be in conformity with strict justice and law, international and local.—Such has been the policy of the administration in dealing with these questions for more than a year. A valuable province of Spain, and a near neighbor of ours, in whom all our people cannot but feel a deep interest, has been struggling for independence and freedom. The people and government of the United States entertain the same warm feelings and sympathies for the people of Cuba in their pending struggle that they manifested throughout the previous struggles between Spain and former colonies in behalf of the latter, but the contest at no time assumed the conditions which amount to a war in the sense of international law, or which would show the existence of a *defacto* political organization of the insurgents sufficient to justify a recognition of belligerency. The principle is maintained, however, that this nation is its own judge when to accord the rights of belligerency, either to a people struggling to free themselves from a Government they believe to be oppressive, or to independent relations at war with each other.

The United States have no disposition to interfere with the existing relations of Spain to her colonial possessions on this continent. They believe that in due time Spain and other European powers will find their interest in terminating those relations, and establishing their present dependencies as independent powers—members of the family of nations. These dependencies are no longer regarded as subject to transfer from one European power to another. When the present relations of colonies cease, they are to become independent powers, exercising the right of choice and of self control in the determination of their future condition and relations with other powers. The United States, in order to put a stop to bloodshed in Cuba, and in the interest of a neighboring people, proposed their good offices to bring the existing contest to a termination. The offer not being accepted by Spain on a basis which we believe could be received by Cuba, was withdrawn. It is hoped that the good offices of the United States may yet prove advantageous for the settlement of this unhappy strife. Meanwhile, a number of illegal expeditions against Cuba have been broken up. It has been the endeavor of the administration to execute the neutrality laws in good faith, no matter how unpleasant the task, made so by the sufferings we have endured from lack of good faith towards us by other nations. The United States schooner Lizzie Major was arrested on the high seas by a Spanish frigate (and two passengers taken from it, and carried as prisoners to Cuba. Representations of these facts were made to the Spanish government as soon as official information of them reached Washington. The two passengers were set at liberty and the Spanish government assured the United States that the captain of the frigate, in making the capture, had acted without law, that he had been reprimanded for the irregularity of his conduct, and that the Spanish authorities in Cuba would not sanction any act that could violate the rights, or treat with disrespect the sovereignty of the nation. The question of the seizure of the brig Mary Lowell, at one of the Bahama Islands, by Spanish authorities, is now the subject of correspondence between this government and those of Spain and Great Britain. The Captain General of Cuba, about May last, issued a proclamation authorizing search to be made of vessels on the high seas. Immediate remonstrance was made against this, whereupon the Captain General issued a new proclamation, limiting the right of search of vessels of the United States so far as authorized under the treaty of 1795. This proclamation, however was immediately withdrawn.

OUR FOREIGN RELATIONS.

I have always felt that the most intimate relations should be cultivated between the Republic of the United States and all independent nations on this continent. It may be well worth considering whether new treaties between us and them may not be profitably entered into to secure intimate relations, friendly, commercial and otherwise.

The subject of an inter-oceanic canal to connect the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, through the Isthmus of Darien is one in which commerce is greatly interested. Instructions have been given to our minister to the Republic of the United States of Columbia to endeavor to obtain authority for a survey by this Government, in order to determine the practicability of such an undertaking, and a charter for the right of way to build by private enterprise such a work if the survey proves it to be practicable.

In order to comply with the agreement of the United States as to a mixed commission at Lima, for the adjustment of claims, it became necessary to send a Commissioner to Lima in August last. No appropriation having been made by Congress for this purpose, it is now asked that one be made covering the past and future expenses of the commission.

The good offices of the United States to bring about a peace between Spain and the South American republics, with which she is at war having been accepted by Spain, Peru and Chili, a Congress has been invited to be held in Washington during the present winter.

A grant has been given to Europeans of an exclusive right of transit over the territory of Nicaragua, to which Costa Rica has given its assent, which it is alleged, conflicts with vested rights of citizens of the United States. The Secretary of State has now the subject under consideration.

[CONTINUED NEXT WEEK.]

Singular Mania of an Army Surgeon.

(*From the Washington Republican, Nov. 27.*]

A singular case of aberration of mind has been brought to the attention of the Board of Surgeons of the United States Army. One of the profession, who for many years has been on active duty, and distinguished for his ability and fidelity, has of late accused officers of high rank with attempting to poison him. At first he mistrusted these poisons were mixed with his food, and thereupon commenced to cook his own victuals. He next suspected the deadly ingredients were mixed with his bread, and finally suspected poisonous exhalations were in his pillow or on his clothes. The officer has been retired and placed under proper treatment, but has in his own defence forwarded to the War Department a report of forty pages, carefully written, and thoroughly reviewing his past services. The document is one evincing great ability but betrays the unfortunate condition of the writer, in his accusations against army officers.

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A COUGH, COLD OR SORE THROAT Requires immediate attention, as neglect often results in an incurable Long Disease.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES

will most invariably give instant relief.

FOR BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, CATARRH, CONSUMPTIVE and THROAT DISEASES, they have a soothing effect.

SINGERS and PUBLIC SPEAKERS use them to clear and strengthen the voice.

Owing to the good reputation and popularity of the Troches, many *worthless and cheap imitation are offered, which are good for nothing. Be sure to OBTAIN the true*

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES.

SOLD EVERYWHERE.

Nov.10'69 6m.

FOR SALE.—One Horse Sleighs, One Horse Sleds, 1 pair Bob sleds-1 2 horse top Buggy, One open Buggy.

IRWIN & WILSON.

RUN AWAY From the subscriber, on Monday Evening, October 18th, 1869, one Samuel B. Hopper, an indentured apprentice from Girard College of Philadelphia, Pa., aged about sixteen years. The said Samuel B Hopper is about five feet six inches high, slenderly built, blue eyes, light hair and florid complexion. When he left, he had on a Light Grey Cassimere suit of clothes, and black hat. All persons are hereby cautioned against harboring or trusting him on my account, as I will pay no debts of his contracting.

GEO. D. PIFER.

dec.8'69-3t. Bellefonte, Pa.

1869. CHRISTMAS. 1869

PRESENTS! PRESENTS! PRESENTS!

A rare chance for one and all to purchase a beautiful

CHRISTMAS PRESENT

for a relative, friend, lover or sweetheart.

ZIMMERMAN BRO'S. & CO.,

again invite the attention of the public, to their greatly increased stock of Merchandize at greatly reduced prices.

Just read the list, and then go and take a look.

Fine, all wool, French Merino, yard wide, 62c to $1.00

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Appleton A, yard wide muslin, 16c by the piece.

Best Calico 12½ cents per yard.

And thus the prices run all through their elegant stock of

NOTIONS OF ALL KINDS.

Zephyr Slipper Platters,
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HOODS FOR LADIES AND CHILDREN,

Ladies and Gents Kid and other Gloves.
Hose of every grade and size,
Ladies Neck Ties, Mohair Swithes only 50 cents, Ribbons, Velvets,

VELVETEEN FOR COATS,

Ladies and Gents Under-Garments as low as 50 cents apiece.

A large assortment of Dolls and

TOYS FOR THE LITTLE FOLKS.

HALL'S BOOTS $4.50 to $6.00 for the best, and all warranted.

Shoes of every size and grade.

CARPETS, and thousands of articles not mentioned; and last but not least is the

GREAT AMERICAN COMBINATION SEWING MACHINE,

which is giving such entire satisfaction to its its purchasers. Too much cannot be said in praise of this *Machine.*

Would'nt it be a splendid CHRISTMAS PRESENT

"Come one, come all, both great and small, And see the monterous Dry Goods Hall."

ZIMMERMAN BROS & CO.,
Bush's Arcade, Bellefonte,
dec8'69-3t. Penn'a.

ESTRAY.—Came to the farm of the subscriber, in Spring twp., on or about the 1st day of October last, a large WHITE SOW. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be disposed of according to law.

dec.1'69-3t. MUNROE ARMOR.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters Testamentary on the Estate of James Ross, late of Ferguson tp., dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre county, all persons knowing themselves indebted to the said Estate are hereby notified to come forward and settle their accounts, and those having claims against said Estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated for settlement.

GEO. W. ROSS,
JNO. W. ELLENBERER,
dec1'69-6t. *Executors.*
REBECCA ROSS, Executrix.

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Make the best Saddles ever

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other, and has the best Buggy Whip

EVER OFFERED TO ANY PEOPLE,

Also, the best HORSE COLLARS

EVER MADE IN the UNITED STATES

of America. Give them a call.

Bishop St., Bellefonte, Pa. nov24'69-1y.

OLD ARMS WANTED.

Sharp's Carbines and Rifles,
Henry's 16 Shot Carbines and Rifles,
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Colt's Navy Pistols,
Colt's Army Pistols,
Remington's Army or Navy Pistols,
Smith & Wesson's 5 and 6 Shot Revolving Pistols,

Parties having any of the above arms in any quantity, from a single arm upward, can find a liberal cash purchaser by addressing. CHAS. A. WILSON,

nov.24'69 4t. Jersey City, N. J.

ANYBODY AND EVERYBODY

who are in debt to

A. STERNBERG,

are requested to

MAKE SETTLEMENT WITHOUT FAIL,

as this firm has determined

TO CLOSE OUT ENTIRELY

AT FIRST COST,

without any reserve whatever.

We intend to quit business here, and as we

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Purchasers will save from

25 to 30 per CENT.,

as we intend to sell at

PHILADELPHIA COST PRICE.

Call and see!

ADOLPH STERNBERG.

nov.17'69-4t.

DAUCHEY & CO.

I was cured of Deafness and Catarrh and by a simple remedy and will send the receipt free.

MRS. M. C. LEGGETT, Hoboken, N. J.

Dec8'69 4w.

A THIEF.

He has been traveling about humbugging druggists and private parties, mixing up and selling a base compound which he calls WOLCOTT'S PAIN PAINT. All of Wolcott's genuine remedies have a white outside wrapper (*with signature large*). Look out for counterfeits.

Six Pints of WOLCOTT'S ANNIHILATOR for Catarrh and Colds in the head, or one Pint of Pain Paint, for Ulcers or Pain, sent free of express charges, on receipt of the money at 181 Chatham Square, N. Y., or one Gallon of Pain Paint (double strength) for $20. Small bottles sold by all Druggists.

Dec8'69 4t R. L. WOLCOTT'S

LORILLARD'S "UREKA"

Smoking Tobacco is an excellent article of granulated Virginia.

—Wherever introduced it is universally admired.

—It is put up in handsome muslin bags, in which orders for meerschaum Pipes are daily packed.

LORILLARD'S "YACHT CLUB"

Smoking Tobacco has no superior; being denicotinized, it cannot injure nerveless constitutions, or people of sedentary habits.

—It is produced from selections of the finest stock, and prepared by a patented and original manner.

—It is very a romatic, mild, and light in weight—hence it will last much longer than others; nor does it burn or sting the tongue, or leave a disagreeable after-taste.

—Orders for genuine, elegantly carved Meerschaum Pipes, silver mounted, and packed in neat leather pocket cases, are placed in the Yacht Club brand daily.

LORILLARD'S CENTURY

Chewing Tobacco.

—This brand of Fine Cut Chewing Tobacco has no superior anywhere.

—It is, without doubt, the best chewing tobacco in the country.

LORILLARD'S SNUFFS

Have been in general use in the United States over 110 years, and still acknowledged "the best" wherever used.

—If your storekeeper does not have these articles for sale, ask him to get them.

—They are sold by respectable jobbers at most everywhere

—Circulars mailed on application.

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Dec8'69 12w.

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KNITTING MACHINE

Is presented to the public as the most *Simple, Durable, Compact & Cheap* Knitting Machine ever Invented.

PRICE, ONLY $25.

This Machine will run either backward or forward with equal facility;

Makes the SAME STITCH as by HAND, but far superior in every respect.

WILL KNIT 20,000 STITCHES IN ONE MINUTE,

And Do Perfect Work, leaving every knot on the inside of the work. It will knit a pair of stockings (any size) in less than half an hour. It will knit

Close or Open, Plain or Ribbed Work,

with any kind of course or fine woolen yarn, or cotton' silk, or linen. It will knit stockings with double heel and toe, drawers, hoods, sacks, smoking caps, comforts, purses, muffs, fringe, afghans, nubias, undersleeves, mittens, skating caps, lamp wicks, wasps, cord, undershirts, shawls, jackets, cradle blankets, leggins, suspenders, wristers, tidies, tippets, tufted work, and in fact an endless variety of articles in every day use, as well as for ornament

FROM $5 TO $10 PER DAY

Can be made by any one with the American Knitting Machine stockings, &c., while expert operators can even make more knitting fancy work, which always commands a ready sale. A person can really knit from twelve to fifteen pairs of stocking per day, the profit on which will be not less than forty cents per pair.

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Can sell their wool at only forty to fifty cents per pound; but by getting the wool made into yarn at a small expense, and knitting it into socks, two or three dollars per pound can be realized.

On receipt of $25 we will forward a machine as ordered.

We wish to procure active AGENTS in every section of the United States and Canada to whom the most liberal inducements will be offered. Address

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Dec8'69 4w.

VINEGAR.—How made in 10 hours without drugs. For Circular, address L. SAGE Vinegar Works, Cromwell, Conn.

Nov24'69 8t.

AGENTS wanted for before the footlights and behind the Scenes by olive Logan. A high-toned, rapid selling book. A complete expose of the show-world. 600 pages; 60 engravings. Prospectus and Sample free to Agents. PARMELEE & CO., Phil'a or Middletown, Ct. Nov24'69 8t.

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Nov24'69-4w.

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A New Handy Book of Family Medicines By Dr. BEARD, of the University of the City of N. Y., assisted by medical professors in the various departments. Three years devoted to its preparation. Quackery and humbuggery exposed. Professors in our leading medical colleges testify that it is the best family doctor book ever written. Outfit and sample free to agents. E. B. TREAT & CO., Pub's. 945 Brodway, N. Y. Nov24'69-4t.

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Q. VAN HUMMELL, M. D., 16 West Fourteenth St., N. Y. aug4'69-1y.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Levi A. Miller & Co., has this day been dissolved, by mutual consent, J. B. Butts retiring.—The books of the firm will be left in the hands of Levi A. Miller for settlement and collection. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said firm will please call at once and settle. LEVI A. MILLER.

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WHERE BUREAUS,
SOFAS,
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Ready made Coffins, of all sizes and prie kept constantly on hand. Also Coffins manufactured to order.

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(No. 1. BROCKERHOFF'S ROW.)

The subscriber respectfully announces to his numerous acquaintances and the public in general that he has removed his

DRUG & MEDICINE STORE,

in the corner room of Brokerhoff's new building on the Diamond, where he has constantly on hand, a large stock of DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PERFUMERY, PAINTS, DYESTUFFS, GLASS, INSTRUMENTS, VARNISH, TURPENTINE, Linseed Oil, Coal Oil, Lamps, Chimneys Brushes, Hair Oil, Extracts, Toilet Soaps, Tobacco, Segars, &c, &c.

Also a variety of fancy articles too numerous to mention, which he offers at low rates, and warrants the qualities of the articles as represented. Purchasers will please remember this, and examine the qualities and prices of his goods before purchasing elsewhere.

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For Ladies; POCKET CUTLERY, *BIRD CAGES, HANGING BASKETS, SODA FOUNTAIN WITH CREAM NECTAR, A LARGE* and well selected lot of WALL PAPER and cheap at that, viz:—From Ten cents to $2.50 per Roll. *GIVE US A CALL.*

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Local Department.

BELLEFONTE, PA.

Wednesday Morning, Dec. 8, 1869.

JOB WORK.—*Posters, Circulars, Bill Heads, Cards, Paper Books, Job Work of all kinds, neatly executed at the* REPUBLICAN OFFICE, *at reasonable rates.*

SAVE MONEY.—If you want posters, circulars, bill heads, cards, paper-books, first-class job work, plain or fancy, call at the REPUBLICAN office. All work done at Philadelphia prices.

THE ladies of the M. E. Church, of this place, are soon to have a festival.—Ye young and old, don't neglect preparing your pocket books for the occasion.

GOOD sleding in the mountains is reported, and a lively time going on among the lumbermen in cutting, hewing and hauling logs and timber to the creeks and river.

A CONCERT and Festival will be given by the Pine Grove Cornet Band, in Academy Hall, Pine Grove, on the evenings of the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th of January, 1870.

LARGE flocks of wild turkeys are said to be roaming over the Nittany mountains, and to the great annoyance of the farmers in the valley, are making daily excursions to their barns and grain stacks.

THAT useless caudle appendage of our borough, the Town Council, have for the last few weeks been trying to demonstrate to our citizens, that water will run up hill. What simpletons all of our great Philosophers have been.

THE pavements of Allegheny and Bishop Streets are almost impassible for pedestrians after dark. Why don't those in authority attend to these things? Can it be that the "Wykoff pavement" of 120 feet, at the lower end of town, has exhausted all of the borough funds.

DEER are reported very plenty in the Allegheny mountains, and several of our sportsmen are having a gay and festive time in capturing them. A friend of ours, captured one alive, last week, which weighed 250 pounds averdup-ise. He brought it home, and it has already become quite domesticated.

ONE day last week, a huge black snake was caught napping in a hollow tree on the farm of Nathan Atwood, on Marsh Creek. The snake measured eight feet four inches in length, and twelve inches in circumference, and was in a torpid state. That farm is some on productions. The next capture on that farm will be a starved copperhead.

THE PROPER DIET.—Our amiable(?) friends, Furey and Brainard, had a great deal to say about Lock Haven, about what they saw and drank; but more especially about what they ate while there. Gentlemen, we think, judging from your own story, and the way you told it, that *thistles* are the proper diet for you, *et id omne genus*. Feeling for your ears, eh?

HO, FOR Missouri.—Joshua C. Brisbin, with his family, took the cars at this place on Monday evening last, for his new home in Missouri. Mr Brisbin has purchased a large farm within fourteen miles of Springfield Mo. He has a good opinion of that State, and thinks the day not far distant when it will become the heart of this nation. We wish him a safe journey, and the best of luck in his new home.

WEST.—Two weeks ago, Conrad Rimmey and family left this place, for their new home in Illinois. One by one, our enterprising men are leaving us, to seek their fortune in the great West. When they get there, they all say they are perfectly lost without the REPUBLICAN.—They lose no time in ordering it sent to them. It comes so regular, and tells them so much about their old friends and homes. Mr. Rimmey's address is Mt. Pulaski, Logan Co., Ill.

ICE FOR 1870.—Mr. D. M. Glenn, formerly Post Master at Milesburg, has leased the Planing Mill dam for the term of five years, and purchased the Bellefonte Ice House. The lease of the dam gives Mr. Glenn full control of all the ice formed on said dam for five years.—He has repaired the ice house, and is ready to store away ice in quantities sufficient to supply the wants of the people of Bellefonte and vicinity, so soon as old "Boreas" does his duty. Mr. Glenn is a clever, enterprising man—a one armed soldier, and deserves the patronage and encouragement of our people.

A ROMANTIC wedding occurred somewhere within the rural precincts of Boggsup, on Sunday the 21st ult., between a gay young widow and a blushing country rustic. All things being in readiness, the happy couple were ushered forth for the ceremony. As the reverend gentleman was about to pronounce the words, the excited groom forgetting, or not knowing the "posish" to take, was consoled by the bride saying, "never mind ——, it will be all right anyhow." As yet we have not learned as to the truth of the fair one's saying, but suppose it has been doubly verified. Who can tell—yes, who?

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR, &c.—We noticed in our issue of Nov. 24th, the fact that our young friends, Capt. Isaac Lytle and Theodore Gordon, had been admitted to practice law in the various Courts of Centre county. Since that time, we are happy to state, we have learned that these young gentlemen passed a most creditable examination, better by far than that passed by any other young man, or men, admitted to practice at our bar within the last four or five years. This is a high honor not only to themselves, but to the legal gentlemen whose students they were. Again we wish these young limbs of the law, long life and an abundance of "fees."

THE sleighing is good at present.

ONE day last week, Mr. John Ross, of Ferguson tp., killed two deer on Tussey mountain.

THE Methodists are holding a protracted meeting at Pine Grove Mills, this county.

THE Presbyterian church at Pine Grove Mills, this county, designs holding a festival during the evenings of the holidays. Proceeds to be appropriated to the purchase of a Parsonage.

DON'T LIKE IT.—A few copperheads, and others, in Bellefonte, say they do not like the REPUBLICAN. We presume, for the same reason that the highwayman and horsethief do not like the Sheriff.

A CORRECTION.—We stated a few weeks ago, that Daniel Lesh, had raised 190 bushels of corn to the acre. This was a mistake, not of ours, however, for we published the report as handed to us.—Mr. Lesh now informs us, that he had 900 bushels of ears on 6½ acres.

PRESENTS.—Zimmerman Brothers & Co. are prepared for the holidays, as our readers will see by reference to our advertising columns. This is, without doubt, one of the thorough going, wide-awake firms of this town. They have adopted the cash system, and say it works like a charm, enabling them to buy cheaper, and, consequently, to sell to their customers much cheaper than those who plod along in the old way of long credits and 100 per cent profits. Of course the cash system is the best.

Call and see the fine stock constantly on hand at this excellent house, and be not "faithless but believing."

PURE ATMOSPHERE.—Kurtz, of the Centre Hall *Reporter*, says that "the church bells of Bellefonte were distinctly heard on the streets in Centre Hall the other evening, although that place is 9 miles distant from Bellefonte, and several ranges of mountains lie between."

This is, no doubt, owing to the purity of the atmosphere in and around Bellefonte. Previous to the establishment of the *Reporter* at that place, the church bells of Bellefonte were distinctly heard at Potter's Fort, a distance of *one* miles beyond Centre Hall; but sound will no longer pass through the atmosphere which surrounds the *Reporter* office.

NEW DRESS.—The Jersey Shore *Vidette*, James Jones, Editor and Proprietor, comes to us, this week, clothed in an entire new dress. This is evidence of prosperity, and also proves that the labors of the Editor in behalf of Republican principles, are fully appreciated by the intelligent portion of the people of Lycoming county. For many years Mr. Jones has battled, through the columns of his excellent paper, for the cause of God and humanity, for right and justice, and the results of his labors have been seen and felt in every election in that county for the past half score of years. May he long continue in the good work and meet with abundant success, is our sincere wish.

IMPROVEMENT.—The new brick building erected within the last two months by Isaac Haupt, opposite the Bush House, is now under roof, and most of the plastering, carpenter work and painting done. Isaac is one of our thoroughgoing business men. He does not travel so fast as some others, it is true; but he travels exceedingly sure. His new brick building, when entirely finished, will be quite an ornament to that portion of the town, and Isaac will have the proud satisfaction of knowing that it is paid for. In addition to this, in justice to Mr. Haupt, we would state that he sells the best stoves in the market and never fails to pay the printer in advance. It affords us pleasure to speak and write about the men who pay the printer. We have several merchants on our books, just like Isaac in this respect, and we will pay our *respects* to them in due time.

A VISIT.—We had the pleasure, a few days since, of taking by the hand our old friend Thomas Hutchison, now a resident of Shannon, Carroll county, Ill. Mr. Hutchison was born in Bellefonte, in 1803, in a house which stood upon the lot where now stands the brick residence of Mrs. Benner. He lived in the county from that time until 1865. When the war broke out, four of Mr. Hutchison's sons volunteered their services, and the old gentleman manifested his patriotism by encouraging them and others to go, while he did all in his power to administer to the wants of soldiers' families at home. He was always numbered with our best and most substantial citizens, always found battling for the right, and for the amelioration of his fellow man.

Thomas Hutchison was one of the first to engage in the great Washingtonian movement in Centre county. At that time he resided in Pennsvalley. He was insulted, abused, maltreated and stoned for his indefatigable efforts in behalf of free schools and temperance. We are happy to state that the principles for which he then contended have triumphed, and where, at that time, ignorance and superstition prevailed, we now have good schools, and number good and true Republicans by the hundred. At the time referred to, Mr. Hutchison was a Jackson Democrat, and acted with that party until the campaign for the re-election of David R. Porter to the Gubernatorial chair of Pennsylvania.

He then became a member of the old abolition party, and subscribed for and read the *Liberator*, Lloyd Garrison's paper, always voting, however, with the Whig party, and was twice their candidate for Assembly against Jno. B. Meek. He joined the American party in 1854, and was elected County Commissioner by that party in 1858—was re nominated in 1861, and defeated, over 1700 of our good and true Republicans having entered the army for the suppression of the slaveholder's rebellion. He is now in his 67th year, and looks hale and hearty. That he may live until Democracy as it exists at present in Pennsvalley, is totally wiped out, extirpated, root and branch, is our sincere desire.

TURKEY.—We had no turkey for Thanksgiving day; are we to have one for Christmas and one for New Year's day? Do not all speak at once—but speak. If Meek can get whole deer for lying wholesale and retail, we think certainly we deserve a turkey occasionally for telling the truth all the time, in our own plain way. It is a propensity we have. It was born with us. We can't help it, therefore, turkey or no turkey, we must tell the truth.

Ellery Centre, Chant. Co., N. Y., April 8th, 1867.

DR. SAGE—SIR: I had been afflicted with Catarrh for *twenty years* previous to using your remedy, and found no permanent relief until I applied to you for treatment. Your Catarrh Remedy has entirely relieved my headach and cured the Catarrh and Cough.

MRS. JOHN C. WELES.

Get remedy at your drug store, or enclose sixty cents to R. V. PIERCE, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y., and it will be sent by return mail. For sale by most Druggists everywhere. dec1-2t.

UNIONVILLE, Nov. 27, 1869.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—No doubt you have been informed ere this of the gloom that has so recently been thrown round this community. Wm. D. Smith, one of our best citizens, a kind husband and loving father, has become insane, and on last Tuesday was taken to the Asylum at Harrisburg. About two weeks ago, Mr. Smith went to Curwinsville to attend to some business affairs, and a Methodist revival going on at that time, he was noticed during the services to behave in rather a singular manner, and it was attributed to religious excitement. He came home in that condition, but grew rapidly worse, and on Saturday the 20th inst., had to be handcuffed and hobbled, as his insanity assumed a dangerous aspect. In this condition he was removed from our midst, but we all hope that in a few weeks, at farthest, he may come back, sound and well. His relatives have the sympathy of the entire community.

LIBERI.

PROSPERITY.—The best evidence of the prosperity and wealth of a town is its public buildings, its private residences, and the number of its manufactories, stores, &c. The more of all these, the better for the people. The more stores—the more competition in any branch of business—the better it is for the people, the farmer, the mechanic and the laboring man. Messrs. Goldman, Bernard & Co. realize and acknowledge the truth of the above assertions, and, consequently, have cast their lot amongst us, offering to our people the largest and best, and cheapest stock of clothing ever offered in this town.

Mr. Hoffman, who represents the company here, and who is an equal partner, is one of the cleverest men it has ever been our good fortune to meet. He is a whole souled, clever man in the store. He knows how to sell goods, and is selling cheap as dirt, overcoats, dress coats, in short, whole suits, both for men and boys. Outside the store he is the genial companion, the intelligent conversationalist, the highminded, honorable gentleman. May our town fill up and run over with just such men.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post office at Bellefonte, and unclaimed, Dec. 1st., 1869.

Armagost, Henry	Love, C. J.
Buck, John	Loncnecker, H. C.-2
Bishop, Valentine	McCor, Mrs. J. H.
Burgee, F. M.	Morrison, Mrs. L. B.
Baker, Albert	McMirne, Mrs. L. L.
Bennington, & Son	Merrill, C. H.
Boyer, J. S.	McClure, John
Boyle, Michael I.	McCarty, Timothy
Brisbin, Mr. Benj.	Mott, Christian
Campbell, Miss. E.	McDowell, Michael
Caulin, Wm.	Pile, Eyre—2
Clods, H.	Rakara, Mr. John
Grawson, E.	Rathcubach. E.
Eckert, C. C.	Riley, Mrs. Rosina
Eckley, Mrs. H.	Shipley, Susan
Eckert, Prof. Geo.	Strauss, Joseph—2
Evans, Wm.	Sohns, Henry
Emmel, Moltz D.	Suint, James
Feenaar, Jacob	Sewart, George
Graffius, Wm.	Sites, Catharine
Gingery, Miss S.	Schuman, Abraham
Green, Mrs. Kate	Stover, Mrs. L. A.
Horner, Miss Eliza	Smeck, John H.
Hall, Miss S. a.—2	Venada, Samuel
Hartsock, Miss K.	Williams, Charles
Hoover, Samuel L.	Weiss, Auton
Haworth, John H.	Watson, James
Irvin, Miss M. A.	Wagner, M. B.
Jordon, Geo. F.	Williams, Dorsey
Kleisley, Geo.—2	Wagner, Geo. W.
Kelley, David	Welker, Rev. Jos.
Kephart, J. M.	

Persons asking for letters mentioned in the above list will please say they are advertised. JNO. T. JOHNSTON, P. M.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—Through the 11 o'clock mail on Wednesday we received the following letter in relation to the accident near Manner station on monday last:

MANNER STATION, Dec. 6th, 11 o'clock, P. M. W. W. Brown, *Dear Sir*:—We are all here safe. We had one of the worst wrecks here that it has ever been my lot to see. The passenger train was standing on the track.—something wrong with the breaks. The freight train run into the rear, crushing all the cars badly. The freight train is a perfect wreck—one of the breaksman killed, and one passenger so severely injured that his life is despaired of. The engineer of the freight was also badly hurt. We were in the rear car—all got out safe except Liney. She had her finger badly cut. She was one of the first lifted out of the window. I was the last to leave the car. I put the passengers out as fast as I could pick them up. The engine crushed into the rear of the car, breaking everything as far as it went. The steam at one time was so dense in the car, that some thought the car was on fire, which added greatly to the confusion. The engine was one-fourth way into our car, our car crushed in to the next car, &c., We will leave in a short time for Pittsburg.

Please let the friends know we are all safe. JOSHUA C. BRISBIN.

MEEK says writing "Ink-slings," with the toothache, is the grimmest amusement he has lately indulged in. When he sees the error of his ways and becomes converted to decency he will find the contemplation of them, with the heartache he will then have, a far *grimmer* amusement.

KILLED.—On Monday the 29th ult., Isaac Miller, of Washington Furnace, in Clinton county, was suddenly killed by a loaded coal wagon falling upon him.

Mr. Miller was endeavoring to support the wagon, and prevent upsetting, when it did upset, and buried him under its bed.

In a few minutes he was taken from under the wagon a corps.

A post mortem examination made by Dr. Holloway soon after the accident revealed a dislocated neck. Mr. Miller was about forty years of age, and leaves a wife and child to mourn his sudden and untimely death.

BROCKERHOFF HOUSE.—

During the session of our Court last week, we heard a gentleman say that he had been in the practice of travelling over a greater part of Pennsylvania, and had stopped for a longer or shorter period in nearly every county to wn in the State, and that he found at the Brockerhoff House, in Bellefonte, the most home-like and comfortable place to stay of all he had ever visited. The remark is true. While we are neither in the habit of boasting of, or depreciating, or gassing about our town, or its belongings, as some of our contemporaries are, we can say to our readers, whose business or pleasure may bring them to this town, that they will find here the best Hotel for comfort that can be had. Messrs. Houseal & Krom have no superiors as landlords anywhere.—Much of the excellence of the house, however, is due to the ladies who preside over its domestic departments, Mrs. Houseal, and her daughter, Mrs. Krom, who have, by long experience, and careful study of their duties, become perfect in their ability to entertain their guests properly. We wish our readers to know that we write this of our own motion, and that it is not a paid puff. Those who desire to stop at a first-class Hotel, will find one here in the Brockerhoff.

A WIFE HUNTER—PASS HIM AROUND.—Some two or three weeks ago, says the Meadville *Republican*, a man called at the livery-stable of Wier & Brown, at Greenville, and hired a pair of horses and a buggy, for the purpose he said, of visiting his wife near Mercer. Not returning at the specified time, and suspecting that something was wrong, the senior member of the firm, Mr. J. L. Wier, started after him. He has returned from a fruitless chase. The fellow, avoiding railroads and telegraps in the interior of the State, managed to keep just a little ahead. We will let the Greenville *Argus* whose editor has "interviewed" Mr. Wier since his return, tell the story:

"As stated at the time, direct pursuit was abandoned as fruitless, and a flank movement, undertaken via the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad to the interior, as it was known that the fugitive had taken that direction. His trail was struck at once at Ridgeway, and kept as far as Scranton, where all traces were lost. As the thief made it a point to avoid railroads and telegraphs thereafter at all hazards it was impossible to gain time on him, especially when he would, as is known to be the case, put a two days' drive into one. At Kettle Creek Cameron county, one of the stolen horses gave out, when the thief hired another, on the original plea of going to a certain point to see his wife, and on the next day drove ninety miles! At this junction Mr. Wier had the sorry satisfaction of recovering one of his horses with his hoofs gone and its breath in about the same condition. Giving the now worthless animal away he continued the pursuit, only however, to hear of the thief on all hands, but always just so far (too far) ahead. At Williamsport he advertised, offering $250 reward, but the same difficulty arose here as before—the impossibility of heading the thief off in his anti-railroad course. This presistent wife-hunter is described as being about six feet tall, about 35 years old, slim built, darkish hair, and grey eyes and sandy whiskers. He had on when last seen light colored pants and vest. Jake thinks there is a good deal of land out in that country, though it was rather an expensive pleasure trip, costing the firm some $250 traveling expenses, besides, he fears, the horses and buggy, about $650 more. The thief, in an ascertained flight of some hundred miles, only touched a railroad twice, and that too, in old Pennsylvania! The owners of the stolen property can now only wait for the natural course of events—which may or may not profit them—and, in aid thereof, we throw out this advertisement.

Grain and Flour Markets.

BELLEFONTE Dec. 8, 1869.

Barley	$ 90
White wheat per bushel	1 15
Red wheat	1 10
Corn (new)	65
Oats	40
Rye per bushel	90
Buckwheat per bus.	75
Cloverseed " "	6 00
Plaster ₱ ton	16 00

Milroy Markets.

Corrected Weekly by Geo & J. P. Blymyer

MILROY, PA., Dec. 8, 1869.

White Wheat, ₱ bushel	$1 10
Red "	1 05
Rye ₱ bushel	80
Oats, new	42
Corn	80
Barley	90
Flaxseed	2 00
Cloverseed	6 50
Plaster, Ground	10 00
Salt in sacks	to 3 00
" in bbls	3 25 to 3 50
Limeburners Coal	5 00
Stove Coal, Wilkes Barre	8 00

Married.

GEARHART—McCORMICK—On 25 ult., by the Rev. W. G. E. Agnew, at the residence of the bride, mother Mr. C. Rhodes Gearhart, of Danville, to Miss. Kate F. McCormick, of Mill Hall, Clinto county.

KRESS—CHATHAM—On 25 ult., by the Rev. W. G. E. Agnew, at the residence of the bride's father, Capt. W. C. Kress to Miss. Lide Chatham, daughter of James Chatham, Esq., both of Lock Haven.

Died.

KIBE.—On the 5th, J. S. Kibe, son of H. H. Kibe, aged 18 years.

Special Notices.

FOR SALE—2 PAIR BOB-SLEDS—2 SLEIGHS—One new top buggy for sale, or which I will exchange for a horse. Also one 2 horse, and one 1 horse wagon, together with the best and nicest assortment of, Spears Cook Heating and Parlor stoves, also a large variety of stoves of different make and patterns. It is well known that my assortment cannot be surpassed in the county and I am now prepared to sell 10 per cent cheaper than market value. Call soon upon me at Bellefonte or at Milesburg.

ISAAC HAUPT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

S. H. WILLIAMS & CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF COTTAGE FURNITURE.

The trade supplied with

ALL KINDS OF TURNED WORK.

At our new establishment near the Bellefonte Planing Mill we now manufacture Cottage Furniture, Chair Stands, Turned Pailing, Cant-Hook Handles, and turned work of Every Description.

CABINET MAKERS

throughout Central Pennsylvania, we invite you to call and see us. We are prepared to furnish you with

ALL THE TURNED WORK NEEDED

in your business, cheaper than you can purchase in any

OTHER PORTION of THE COUNTRY—

cheaper than you

CAN PURCHASE IN THE CITY.

OUR MACHINERY is the VERY BEST,

and our facilities for obtaining lumber enable us not only to compete with, but to

UNDERSELL ANY OTHER ESTABLISHMENT

in the whole country.

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR WORK

and prices.

Upholstering, Repairing Furniture and every thing pertaining to the business properly attended to.

OPPOSITE THE BUSH HOUSE.

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FURNITURE WAREROOM.

JOHN BRACHBILL,

Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds of

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

SOFAS, MATRASSES,

LOUNGES, CHAIRS,

COTTAGE BEDSTEDS,

SPRING BOTTOM BEDS,

TABLES, ROCKING CHAIRS, &c.

I also keep constantly on hand a very fine selection of the latest styles of

WALL PAPER,

at the

MOST REASONABLE RATES.

My prices are all as low, for every article as they can be

in this market.

IN ORDER TO SATISFY YOURSELVES

Call and examine my stock.

JOHN BRACHBILL,

(Old Stand) Spring St.,

ja2'69-6m. Bellefonte, Pa.

GRAND OPENING.

LOEB, MAY & LOEB

did open an entire

NEW STOCK OF DRY GOODS,

Clothing, Furs, Robes, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, &c.,

in their new building on

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.,

ON SATURDAY, 13TH INST.

We invite the inspection of our Stock

LOEB, MAY & LOEB.

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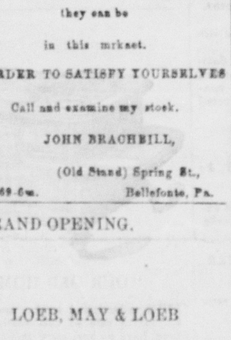
JOHN H. HAHN,



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ALSO, DEALER IN

Watches, Clocks and Fine Jewelry,

CHRONOMETER & OTHER WATCHES

Repaired on the

MOST SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLES.

All Work Warranted to

GIVE ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

JOBBING OF ALL KINDS

Promptly and Carefully Executed at the

SHORTEST POSSIBLE NOTICE.

Business transacted in German & English

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Next Door to Harper Bro's. Store,

SPRING ST., NEAR HIGH,

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DRY GOODS, &c.

PHILADELPHIA STORE!

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KELLER & MUSSER.

ANOTHER NEW STORE.

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SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

KELLER & MUSSER have just opened the best, cheapest, largest, as well as the best assorted stock of Goods in Bellefonte or Central Pennsylvania, at their new

PHILADELPHIA STORE, in

BROCKERHOFF'S BLOCK, Bishop St.

FOR THE LADIES.

They have Silks, Coburgs Alpacas, Merinos, Wool Delaines, Lustres, Ginghams, Prints, Poplins, Lawns, Handkerchiefs, Kid and other Gloves, Hosiery, Balmorals, Hoop-skirts, and a general variety of

Ribbons, trimmings, Buttons, Braids, etc., at the lowest prices.

FOR GENTLEMEN.

They have Black and Blue Cloths, Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Sattinetts, Tweeds, Meltons, Water-proof Cloth, Silk, Satin and common Vestings, etc., in great variety, and at prices that will give general satisfaction to buyers.

Their READY MADE CLOTHING is cheap, and consists of Overcoats, Dress coats, of various qualities and prices, Plain and Fancy Vests, Cassimere and Flannel Overshirts, Woolen and Cotton undershirts, Handkerchiefs, neck ties, &c., &c., &c.

Calf and Kip Boots and Shoes, Gum Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, and

HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

in endless variety, such as Carpets, Oil Cloths, Rugs, Brown Muslins, Bleached Muslins, Drillings, Sheetings, Table Cloths, &c., &c., &c.

Their stock of QUEENSWARE & GROCERIES cannot be excelled in quality or price.

Call in at the Philadelphia Store and convince yourselves that KELLER & MUSSER have everything you want and do business on the principle of "Quick Sales and Small Profits."

GRAIN AND PRODUCE ARE TAKEN.

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NEW! CHEAP!! GOOD!!!

Important to the Ladies of Bellefonte and surrounding country.

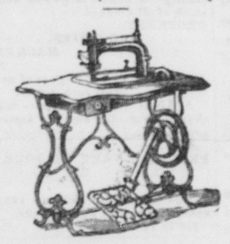
ZIMMERMAN BRO'S & CO'S.,

No. 6 Bush's Arcade, Bellefonte, Pa.,

Have just opened their Fall Stock of Dress Goods, Notions, Gloves, Calicoes, Muslins and Flannels.

They have also added to their Stock, Zephyrs, Zephyr Patterns, Germantown Wool, Ribbons and other Goods not heretofore offered by them.

A complete assortment of Shawls, Blankets, and everything else is for sale cheaper than at cash prices,



We are agents for the justly celebrated American Button Hole Overseaming and Sewing Machine.

The Greatest wonder of the age.

It is LIGHT RUNNING, Simple, Durable, does not easily get out of order, and does more kinds of work than any other Machine made.

Price of Combination Machine with cover..... $75,00

Price of Plain Machine, without button-hole attachment, with cover,... $60,00

Don't forget the place. Come and see

ZIMMERMAN BROS. & CO.

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NEW STORE.

HARPER BROTHERS

Have opened up an

ENTIRE NEW STOCK of GOODS

of every description, at their new store room on Spring street; which were purchased at

PANIC PRICES,

and will be sold as low if not lower, than can be found elsewhere in this section. Their stock comprises in part,

Dry Goods,
Notions,
Millinery Goods,
Hosieries,
Fancy Goods,
Clothing,
Boots & Shoes,
Hats & Caps,
Carpet-Bags,
Umbrellas,
Parasols,
Gentlemen and Ladies Furnishing Goods,
Ladies Cloaks & Circulars,
In Silk and Cloth,
Carpeting,
Groceries
Queensware &c.

STATIONERY,

and everything else that is to be found in a well stocked country store.

COUNTRY PRODUCE,

taken in exchange for goods, and the highest market price paid.

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QUIGLEY & CROSKEY'S

CHEAP CASH STORE,

EAGLEVILLE, CENTRE CO., PENN'A

WE take pleasure in announcing to farmers and the public generally that we keep constantly on hand, at our store in Eagleville, Dry Goods, Groceries, &c., and

SELL AS CHEAP AS ANY STORE

in town or country. We shall always endeavor to purchase good Goods and warrant everything as we represent it. We also always pay the highest

PRICES FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Please call and examine our stock for ourselves. ja13'69.1y.

FOR SALE.—Any person wishing to purchase a good breeding Mare, eight years old next spring, a bright bay—would do well to call on the subscriber near Housersville, Centre county, Pa.

nov.3'69 3t.* H. H. YARNELL.

WAGON HUBES, spokes and felloes large and small, at IRWIN & WILSONS'

DRY GOODS.

DO NOT FORGET

That the place to buy Cheap Goods,

CALICOES,
DELAINES,
SILKS,
SATINS,
BROADCLOTHS
CASSIMERES,
CASSINETS,
BLANKETS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,

for Men and Boys, is at

JOHN W. COOKE'S

CHEAP CASH STORE,

REYNOLDS' ARCADE, ALLEGHENY STREET, BELLEFONTE, PA.

We started out on the principles of "Small profits and quick Returns," and how well we have succeeded is known to everybody.

OUR GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE AND GLASSWARE,

are of the very best quality and are sold at the most reasonable rates. We pay at all times the highest cash price for Wheat, Rye, Oats, Corn and Barley. We most cordially invite everybody to give us a call, before purchasing elsewhere. Do not forget the place.

REYNOLDS' ARCADE, ALLEGHENY STREET, BELLEFONTE, PA.

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GREAT EXCITEMENT!

EXTRAORDINARY CONCENTRATION OF BARGAINS.

HOWELL, GILLILAND & CO of Bush's Arcade, in Rooms No. 1 and 2 have just returned from the city with a large and extensive stock of Spring and Summer Goods. We are now ready to offer to our customers a more extensive and better assorted stock than ever before offered to the public. Our extensive stock of

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Demands particular attention. Great Bargains to be had in Prints, Muslins, Notions, &c., &c.

The latest styles of Spring and Summer Cassimers already received.

READY MADE CLOTHING

warranted to give perfect satisfaction. A large assortment of Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes constantly on hand.

Our Grocery department demands particular attention. A full assortment constantly on hand, the best the markets can afford, such as

SYRUP, SUGAR, TEA & COFFEE.

Canned Fruits, Jellies, Domestic and Foreign Fruits, Cheese and Pastries of all kinds, and every other article belonging to the Grocery Department.

FARMERS, MECHANICS AND LABORERS,

LOOK to your interest.

One dollar saved is still one dollar in your pocket. Then call and see at what astonishing Low Prices.

HOWELL GILLILAND & CO.

are selling Dry Goods and Groceries. Come and examine for yourselves, and be convinced of the truth.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE,

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EMIL JOSEPH & CO., ALLEGHENY ST.,

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BELLEFONTE, PENN'A.

CHEAP NEW YORK STORE.

COME ONE! COME ALL!!

SEE HOW CHEAP WE CAN SELL,

DRY GOODS, DRY GOODS,
NOTIONS, NOTIONS,
CLOTHING, CLOTHING,
FURNISHING GOODS FURNISHING GOODS
FOR LADIES & GENTS, FOR LADIES & GENTS,
FURS, FURS,
COVERLETS, COVERLETS,
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
WATCHES, WATCHES,
JEWELRY, JEWELRY,
SILVER-PLATED WARE, SILVER-PLATED WARE,

all of which we warrant, and at city prices.

A FIRST CLASS WATCH MAKER

constantly on hand, and all work warranted A liberal discount to the trade. Give us a call. ja6'69.1y.

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DRY GOODS AND GROCERY STORE,

No. 6, Brockerhoff's Row,

NEXT DOOR TO THE POST OFFICE,

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Is the place for bargains in the way of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Queens and Cedar Ware, Groceries,

CANNED AND DRIED FRUITS, ALSO, NOTIONS, &c., &c.

Everything in his line is sold at very Low Prices.

POLITE AND ATTENTIVE CLERKS,

are always in attendance to wait on his numerous customers. The

HIGHEST CASH PRICES

paid for all kinds of marketing and produce. Cash paid for

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN,

Goods delivered with pleasure. No trouble to show goods. Give him a call before purchasing elsewhere. [ja6'69.y

HORSE SHOES, best make at IRVIN & WILSON'S

GROCERIES, &c.

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DEALERS IN

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

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KEEP THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF GOODS,

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FOR SMALLER PROFITS

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HOUSE IN CENTRE COUNTY.

HOUSE-KEEPERS

and all others wishing to purchase

GROCERIES OF Every DESCRIPTION

will be amply repaid

BY GIVING US A CALL.

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NO. SIX, HIGH STREET FRONT,

"BUSH HOUSE" BLOCK, BELLEFONTE.

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BOOTS, SHOES, &c.

BURNSIDE & THOMAS.

Offer to the Public one of the largest and best selected stocks of merchandise, in Centre county. Call, examine and see for yourself.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING Dec. 8, '69.

Farmers Wives—Why Have They Poor Health?

It seems now to be generally conceded, that this class of our country-women, through some cause, have come to a state of general poor health; and this sad state of affairs is mostly attributed to over work. This, no doubt, in some cases, has a share in the evil; but I am more inclined to ascribe the general debility and much sickness amongst us of the rural districts to *cooking stoves in unventilated kitchens*, and *close apartments*. A little observation will show that this poor health is by no means confined to the wives of farmers, but extends also to the families of a large portion of our communities—all those in fact who occupy houses built with small, close chimney flues, instead of the old fashioned open fire-place, and who sleep in small apartments, with close windows, and with no arrangement, for the supply of fresh air through the night hours—except the occasional opening of a door.

The women of our times do not work any harder than did their grandmothers: but their toil was pursued near the great open fire-place, where a constant change of air was going on; and consequently they never felt the exhaustion that our women suffer, shut up with "a red hot demon" of a stove, which itself is consuming the vital air at the rate of a hogshead every minute, and for the supply of which provision is seldom made—for where do you find a house that has any sensible arrangement by which fresh, pure air is introduced continuously? Do people know that air which has once passed through the lungs, is not only incapable of supporting life, but is absolutely poisonous! *Do they know* that air is more necessary to existence than food? Life can be sustained without food for many days, but without air not one minute. If any one questions the absolute need of pure air to maintain health, let him observe the condition of any person who lives in a vitiated atmosphere. Look at the men and boys in stores and shops where there is stove heat and no ventilation—how sickly, pale and dyspeptic they soon become. "Farmer's wives" are not more miserable and weak.

Examine the majority of sleeping rooms in any country village or neighborhood. Small, close "seven by nine" *closets*—with generally but one window, and that carefully closed to exclude the dangerous night air, as if there was any better air than that provided by the Great Creator, for our use during the night hours. If a door is left open, it is probably into the kitchen or sitting room where stoves and lamps and human breaths have combined to create a poisonous condition of the atmosphere during the day and evening.

Is it wonderful that, under such circumstances, sleep is disturbed and unrefreshing? that children are restless and fretful? and that daylight finds the mother more tired and languid than when she lay down to rest.

The men and boys of the family suffer less because they are in pure air all day, and the poison is thus eliminated from their systems. Otherwise they too would sink under such a course of "blood poisoning;" for it is into the blood this atmospheric poison works, as it is again and again passed through the lungs.

An eminent physician, in a work entitled "How not to be Sick," attributes the poor health and *poor teeth* of Americans to "*the excessive use of fine flour, butter and sugar*," leaving out the strengthening phosphates and and nitrates contained in the bran and buttermilk, which are given to our pigs. Combine with unwholesome, heating food, the unwholesome air we breathe, and what wonder that we have become a race of pale dyspeptics, with false teeth and contracted chests. Unwholesome food and vitiated air poison the springs of life at their very source; and unless a radical change is made in our modes of building and living, the prospect is a sad one for our children.

THE ACTUAL VALUE OF COWS.—Now, we can go into a dairying neighborhood, and point to farmers who are losing from two to three thousand dollars, by keeping cows yielding two hundred pounds of butter per year, instead of those that would yield from five to six hundred pounds in the same time. How many dairymen can tell the relative value of each cow in his herd by actual test? There is a little instrument for this purpose that don't cost much, but very few dairymen know anything about it. It is called "Lactometer," constructed by placing a number of glass tubes, of equal length and diameter, in a wooden frame. The milk from each cow is placed in one of these glass tubes; there they stand side by side, and you can see the depth of cream that rises in each tube, representing a certain cow, and estimating her value thereby.—*Stock Journal.*

DRY HOP YEAST.—Tie three handfuls of hops up in a thin cloth, with eight pealed medium sized potatoes, in three quarts of water: pour off the water, after sufficient boiling, and scald three quarts of flour with it; mash the potatoes and stir these with the scalding flour; let it cool and mix with one teacupful of good yeast. Let it stand till it is light, well fermented; then mix sufficient corn meal with it to thicken; make into cake and dry in the shade.

How Shall we Keep our Fowls?

This is a question which concerns thousands at this season. A supply of fresh eggs is a great addition to our kitchen economy, and a most agreeable one to our table. Fresh eggs for breckfast all the year round is decidedly Utopian. In the first place, we must provide light and air. Windows are absolutely necessary on the south side of the hennery, so that the winter's sun can be made available for warmth. All the scraps and soap-grease of the kitchen can be returned to us in the shape of fresh eggs, and will greatly lessen the expense of feeding the hens. They must have animal food. When the ground is open, and worms abundant, they are as well supplied as though they dined on roast-beef and mutton, but in winter it must be given to them. All the bones left from the table, the bits of fat, the scrapings of the plates, etc., should be treasured for their use. Keep an old kettle on the back of the stove, turn all slops into it, even coffee-grounds, and when well-heated, feed it. At noon-time, it can be given smoking hot, and quite watery—the warm drink helps to supply the carbon they need. Where beef's liver can be cheaply obtained, it makes excellent food; chop it fine, and they will eat it greedily. Keep a box filled with gravel, ashes, old plaster, slacked lime or oyster-shells—even hard coal ashes will not come amiss—for hens must have food needful to form egg shells, else they will drop them shell-less.

For grain, we think a mixture is the most profitable. Sweepings from the grist mill do very well—oats, corn and rye ground together coarsely, make good food. Hens desire variety—will not lay eggs on one kind of nutriment.

Where oil-cake and scrap-cakes can be purchased, they are the most desirable food. Bone-manure is excellent to go with the scraps. To this diet add coarse corn-hominy, and you will never complain that hens are not worth their feed.

Cleanliness is all-important—the hen house should be whitewashed with hot lime, spring and fall, and the poles on which they roost should be covered with kerosene-oil every month or two. These percautions are needful to destroy the insects which will breed in such places. Pure warm water in iron basins, with a bit of brimstone in the basin, should be given every morning, but not allowed to freeze. If the chickens are sick, give them soap-pills made of yellow bar soap; this acts like a cathartic. If chilled, give pepper-corns—two of them if the chickens are large—or hot milk and pepper can be turned down the neck with a teaspoon.

A hen increases in the amount of eggs she lays until four years old; then she is only fit for chicken-broth.

We would not enter into a discussion upon the merits of different breeds nor would we pay twelve dollars a pair for "novelties." The white Leghorns are our favorites; their eggs are large, their chickens grow rapidly and their flesh is tender and of delicious flavor.

The Brahma Pootras are good sized fowls, and produce fine coffee-colored eggs; but we confess to a greater delight in the purely white eggs, and think that what the chicken gains in size, it loses in delicacy of flavor. They have mixed with our Leghorns, and formed a mongrel breed which seems to promise well. We have forty five chickens ready for dripping-pan or pie, which have sprung from the different breeds, and are of good size. It is more profitable to keep a dozen hens than one pig—the outlay is much less, the income much greater, and the pleasure you take in the former is inexhaustible. What pride we take in sending a dozen fresh eggs to our kind neighbors in the depth of winter!—What a relish they give to every meal! Try it, friend, and see how cheaply pleasure can be purchased.—*Hearth and Home.*

WHAT IS LOST BY KEEPING CORN. A correspondent of the Davenport, Ill *Gazette*, put two hundred measured bushels of corn in a crib in November, 1868, which were recently marketed. The corn was kept in a well-protected crib, and was in excellent condition when sold. It was found to have shrunk forty-eight bushels, equal to twenty-four per cent, discount from the original amount. There was no unusual exposure to rats, bad weather, &c., the corn was first quality, and he thinks the experiment was in all respects a fair test of the profit and loss of holding over.

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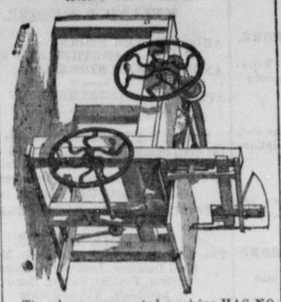

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All orders promptly filled and a fair share of public patronage, respectfully solicited.

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Scroll Work of every Description,

BRACKETS OF ALL SIZES,

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AMERICAN BUTTON-HOLE

OVER-SEAMING AND SEWING MACHINE COMBINED.

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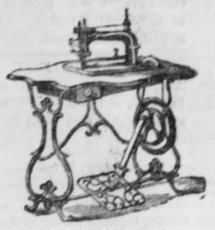

In directing attention to the celebrated COMBINATION BUTTON HOLE AND SEWING MACHINE, we feel fully warranted in claiming for it *unquestionable superiority* over all others as a Family Machine.—The Simplicity, Ease and Certainty with which it operates, as well as the uniform excellence of its work, *certainly place it far in advance of any other similar invention of the age.*

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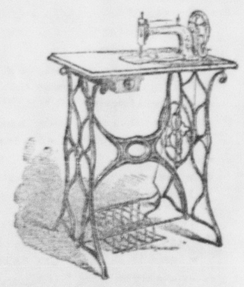

Among sewing machines, those made by the Singer Manufacturing Company, rank with the highest. Their manufacturing machines, have long been known as the best for manufacturing purposes. But within the past few years, they have given special attention to the production of a

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